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"New Nationalism" His Theme Before National Conservation Congress.

WARM WELCOME AT ST. PAUL

Places Himself Against Advantages of State's Rights—Relation of Corporations to the People—Features.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 6.—The doctrine of "new nationalism" which ex-President Roosevelt enunciated in his speech at Osawatomie, Kansas, last week, was set forth still more clearly by him in his speech today before the National Conservation Congress here. He declared for government control of the country's natural resources, and in so doing placed himself directly against the advantages of "State rights." Those opposition to the principles which he laid down has furnished the liveliest debates of the conservation changes.

"If it had not been for corporate interests, especially those which may be described as predatory, we would not have heard of this 'question of States' rights,'" he declared. And later he said: "It is not really a question of State against Nation. It is really a question of special corporate interests against the people." He said the corporations were anxious to have the States take up the work that they might escape all effective control.

The outbursts of applause which greeted Col. Roosevelt as he spoke in the auditorium, were as long and loud as any he has heard during his Western trip. Minneapolis and St. Paul dropped work for the day and turned out to see the colonel. School children with hundreds of flags saluted him as he rode by, bands were played and banners were everywhere.

When Col. Roosevelt arrived at the capitol, the Presidential salute of 21 guns was given for him.

Col. Roosevelt arrived in Minneapolis at 7 o'clock this morning. After breakfast he came by automobile to St. Paul, made his speech at the Conservation Congress; had luncheon and then went to the State Fair grounds, where he addressed the largest crowd of the day.

Returning to St. Paul he went to the home of Frank B. Kellogg for a rest and then attended a dinner given by Col. Alexander O. Brode, of the Rough Riders. He left tonight for Milwaukee, where he is to spend tomorrow.

Col. Roosevelt made a number of additions to the speech which he had prepared for the Conservation Congress, most of his interpolations were made to emphasize his stand for "new nationalism."

In speaking of the Federal control of corporations he said: "In addition to the fact that the Federal government is better able to exact justice from the corporations, I also believe it is less apt in some gust of popular passion to do injustice to them.

"I should like to see the people, through the National government give full justice to the corporations," he said, elsewhere. "But I don't want the National government to depend only upon the good will of the corporations to get justice for the people."

In regard to the control of waterways by railroads, Col. Roosevelt said: "You people must not sit supinely and let the railroads get control of the boat lines, and then say that the men at the head of the railways are very bad people. If you leave it to them to get control of the boat lines, some of them are sure to do it, and it is to your interest that the best and ablest among them should do so. But do not let any of them do it except under the conditions which we lay down. In other words, when you of your own will, permit the rules of the game to be such that you are absolutely certain to get the worst of it at the hands of someone else, don't blame the old men.

"Change the rules of the game."

The colonel advocated drainage of swamp and overflow lands chiefly through the activity of the Federal government. He defended the work done to establish National forests and recommended the establishment of a Federal bureau of health. When he came to speak of the National Conservation Commission he made what was interpreted here as a sharp thrust at Congressman James A. Tawney.

James J. Hill sat on the platform close to Col. Roosevelt.

Mr. Hill attended the luncheon given to Col. Roosevelt as did James R. Garfield, Gifford Pinchot, Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, Gov. Norris, of Montana; Gov. Hay, of Washington, Gov. Brooks, of Wyoming, and Senator Nelson, of Minnesota.

When Col. Roosevelt reached the State Fair Grounds he found what he said was the largest crowd he had seen on his Western trip waiting to hear his speech.

When he appeared on the platform the vast throng of people jumped to their feet, waved their hats, threw

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OLD NORTH STATE'S VETERANS

Annual Reu[illegible] Begins at Norfolk With Over a Thousand in Attendance—Thrilling Scene. Dixon and Mason.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 6.—With between 1,200 and 1,500 gray clad veterans in attendance, the annual reunion of the Grand Camp, United Confederate Veterans of North Carolina, began here today to continue two days. Tomorrow will be the big day with a parade to be participated in by the veterans under escort of United States troops from Fort Monroe, and naval forces from the Norfolk navy yard.

It was a thrilling scene that followed the opening of the convention today with the rendition by a uniformed Confederate choir of that song that stirs Southern hearts: "I'm Glad I Live in Dixie." The old veterans rising in their seats gave free vent to their enthusiasm by shouting and throwing their hats and handkerchiefs into the air.

The appearance of General Julian S. Carr, of Durham, N. C., commander-in-chief of the North Carolina Veterans, brought forth another burst of enthusiasm. An address of welcome by Mayor Riddick, of Norfolk, was responded to by Major B. F. Dixon, of Raleigh. At today's second session former Lieut. Governor Thomas W. Mason, of North Carolina, was the orator, and Orin H. Smith, aged 83 years, of Henderson, was introduced by General Carr as designer of the Stars and Bars.

Norfolk is elaborately decorated for the occasion.

REQUESTS TAFT TO ACT.

Wants Him to Conduct Hearing on Proposed Freight Rate Advances.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—The following telegraphic correspondence, regarding the request that President Taft direct the Interstate Commerce Commission personally to conduct the hearing on proposed freight rate advances, was made public today.

"Executive Office, Beverly, Mass., Sept. 3, 1910.

"Laverne W. Noyes, President Illinois Mfgr's. Association.

"Telegram received. I have implicit confidence in the work being done by the Interstate Commerce Commission under the able leadership of Judge Knapp. The commission is heavily overloaded with work. Some of the members are necessarily in Europe.

"A full record will be kept of the hearing at Chicago. I am not disposed to take any action changing the arrangement made by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

(Signed) "WM. H. TAFT."

The Illinois Manufacturers' Association replied to this telegram as follows:

"Hon. Wm. H. Taft.

"Telegram received. We do not raise any question as to the ability or able leadership of Judge Knapp. We respectfully insist that the commission conduct the investigation both as to Eastern and Western territory, as was agreed when you ordered the injunction proceedings in the Federal Court dismissed. We believe that the shippers and consumers of the country will be entirely satisfied with the re-instatement of the injunction case and a trial on the issues therein raised if you cannot see your way clear to direct the commission to sit personally. (Signed.)

"ILLINOIS MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION.

"LaVERNE W. NOYES, "President."

VETERANS WILL MEET HERE.

Reunion in 1911 Comes to Wilmington. Officers Are Elected.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 6.—Listening to patriotic songs and stirring speeches two thousand Confederate veterans from North Carolina today stood up and cheered at the first reunion of the Old North State Veterans ever held over the lines of their native State.

The body went on record as favoring an amendment to the present law of their State which makes a veteran ineligible to receive a pension if he owns as much as $500 worth of property. The Legislature will be asked to make all veterans eligible to receive a pension if the yown property valued at less than $1,500. The body will meet next year at Wilmington, N. C.

All old officers were elected as follows: Major General Julian S. Carr, of Durham, commander of division; Col. H. A. London, of Pittsboro, adjutant general and chief of staff; Brigadier General P. C. Carlton, of Statesville, commander first brigade; Gen. W. L. London, Pittsboro, commander second brigade; Gen. James I. Metts, Wilmington, commander third brigade, and Gen. James M. Ray, Asheville, commander fourth brigade.

DANVILLE WINS PENNANT.

Marked End of Season in Virginia Baseball League.

Danville, Va., Sept. 6.—Danville's victory today over Richmond coupled with the defeat of Roanoke by Lynchburg gives Danville the pennant in the Virginia Baseball League. The winners have a record of 68 games won and 42 lost. Roanoke has clinched second place with 65 games won and 50 lost.

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POLITICAL FIGHTS IN THREE STATES

Straws Show The Wind in Vermont, Wisconsin and New Hampshire.

LAFOLLETTE IS RENOMINATED

Progressives Win in New Hampshire Except in Congressional Contests —Sulloway is Returned—Democratic Results.

Concord, N. H., Sept. 6.—A "progressive" victory featured New Hampshire's first State wide primaries today, State Senator Robert P. Bass, of Peterboro, defeating Bertram Ellis, of Keene, for the Republican gubernatorial nomination by a substantial margin.

In the Congressional fight the progressives did not fare so well. Congressman Cyrus A. Sulloway won by a wide margin, the Republican nomination for Congress in the First district, despite the stirring campaign waged by Sherman E. Burroughs, of Manchester, a "progressive." Congressman Frank D. Currier had no party opposition for a re-nomination in the Second district.

Despite heavy rain all day the Republican vote was surprisingly large. There was no fight in the Democratic ranks and a light vote was polled. The Democrats nominated for Governor Clarence Carr, of Andover, and for Congress, Mayor Eugene E. Reed, of Manchester, in the First district and Henry H. Metcalf, of Concord, in the Second district.

In 160 election districts out of 290 Bass, progressive, had 10,594; Ellis (Regular), 6,044.

Election in Vermont.

White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 6.—Lieut. Gov. John A. Mead, of Rutland, a retired physician and prominent business man, was elected Governor by the Republicans in the State election today by a plurality of about 17,000 over Lawyer Charles D. Watson, of St. Albans, his Democratic opponent. The Republicans elected the balance of the State ticket and both of their Congressmen, but the Democratis made gains in the Legislature.

The Republican plurality was the smallest, with two exceptions, since 1870, but the party leader and Chairman C. F. Williams, of the State committee, declared tonight that the rain storm was the principal cause of the drop of 12,000 in party plurality in two years.

Chairman Harris, of the Democratic State committee, expressed satisfaction with the results, and the Democrats throughout the State were inclined tonight to jubilate. Mr. Watson not only carried his own but Montpelier, the State capital, as well, a feat unheard of hitherto in Vermont politics. Watson also ran well in the other cities, but the little till towns stood loyally by Dr. Mead. The returns were unusually slow in coming in.

Primary in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 6.—United States Senator Robert M. LaFollette has swept the State of Wisconsin in the primary election for re-nomination, defeating his opponent, Samuel A. Cook, of Neenah, by from three to five to one.

Although early returns showed considerable strength for E. T. Fairchild in the race for the Republican nomination for Governor of Wisconsin, the later figures are showing large gains for F. E. McGovern, who won fame as the anti-graft district attorney of Milwaukee. There is now a certainty that county option has been defeated by a big majority, for both of the candidates who are now in the lead are opposed to county option, though McGovern is the LaFollette supporter and Fairchild figures as a supporter of the Taft administration. W. M. Lewis, also a LaFollette supporter, but advocate of county option, is far behind the other two candidates.

The so-called progressive Republicans seem to have won one Congressman, as indications point to the defeat of W. H. Stafford in the Fifth district. All other present Congressmen are probably nominated.

Congressman Charles A. Weisse, of Sheboygan Falls, is leading Burt Williams, of Ashland, in the few scattering returns received for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator.

In Nevada.

Reno, Nev., Sept. 6.—Primary returns so far indicate Democratic choice of Key Pittman, of Tonopah, for United States Senator, and D. S. Dickerson, incumbent, Democrat, for Governor.

FIGHTER DRINKS POISON.

Mistook Carbolic Acid For Cramp Medicine.—His Record.

Pittsburg, Sept. 3.—Fred Ziringer, a well known local batam weight boxer died toda yfrom a drink of carbolic acid which he took by mistake for cramp medicine. Although only 22 years old, Ziringer had fought nearly 200 ring battles, and so successfully that his ambition to be bantam champion of the country was not thought by his followers to be in vain.

TRIAL OF CRIPPEN IN LONDON

Three Sensations Marked the First Day—Charge Against Miss Leneve Changed to Accessory—Crowds Attend.

London, Sept. 6.—Three sensations marked the commencement today in the Bow street police court of the trial of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen for the murder of his actress wife, Belle Elmore.

The first was the changing of the charge of murder against Ethel Clare Leneve, Crippen's typist, to that of accessory after the fact; the second, an announcement by the prosecuting attorney that a large quantity of hyoscin, a liquid poison, had been found in the body unearthed in Crippen's cellar, which the crown hopes to prove is that of Crippen's wife and the third the testimony of Mrs. Paul Martinelli concerning a scar she had seen on Mrs. Crippen's body and the announcement that the doctors had found a similar scar on the body in Crippen's cellar.

The court room was crowded with auditors, who leaned forward in their seats to catch every word utterd. Crippen throughout the proceedings bore an air of indifference, even when Travers Humphreys, the public prosecutor, outlined the crown's case against him. Miss Leneve was heavily veiled and not only during the day was her face visible to those in the court room. After the crown's case has been recited a few witnesses were heard and an dajournment was taken until next Thursday.

Mr. Humphreys, for the crown, set forth that Crippen and his wife were unhappily married and that her death was of momentary advantage to him in addition to the fact that his relations with his typist were such that Miss Leneve was unpleasantly jealous of the wife. The death of Mrs. Crippen would solve the situation from the standpoint of the man who loved one woman and was tied up to another.

Crippen need money and pawned jewelry later identified as the property of his wife. When his wife disappeared he made an explantion that he later admitted was untrue. The prosecutor told of the admitted quarrel between the Crippens, the elopement of Crippen and Miss Leneve, and the finding of the body alleged to be that of the dancer's wife in the cellar of the Crippen home.

KILLS AND DEFIES ARREST.

Orange County Man Slays Another and Barricades Himself.

Chapel Hill, Sept. 6.—According to information received in Chapel Hill this morning from S. W. Andrews, sheriff of Orange County, Ed. Garret, who was waylaid and shot with a double-barreled shotgun by Rufe Suit in Chapel Hill township about six miles northwest of Chapel Hill, one hour before sunset yesterday, died last night.

Suit barricaded himself in his home near which the shooting occurred, swearing not to be taken alive and threatening to cremate himself by setting fire to the house if attempt was made to capture him. Sheriff Andrews was 'phoning around Orange county summoning a posse of deputy sheriffs to gather at a rendezvous, one mile from Suit's place in order to make an attack,

Before the posse could get there, Sheriff Andrews received a 'phone message from Fletcher Cochran, a lawyer of Durham, the uncle of Suit, telling the sheriff to meet him alone at Suit's place and promising that Suit would surrender peacefully. According to the latest information from Sheriff Andrews, the murder seems to have been committed in cold blood.

There has been bad blood between Suit and relatives of the dead man Garret for some time. Both men were of fighting stock. Rufe Suit, according to stories current around Chapel Hill, has a long line of fracases behind him. One time when John O'Daniel was chief of plice of Chapel Hill, Suit is said to have made an attempt to kill the officer while resisting arrest. His cutting affrays have been numerous, according to his reputation in this locality.

OUTLINES.

Former President Roosevelt yesterday addressed the National Conservation Congress on the doctrine of "new nationalism." He was given a warm welcome to St. Paul.——The Ballinger-Pinchot Investigating Committee is expected to make public the findings of the inquiry within the next few days Conflicting reports regarding the decision gained circulation yesterday.——The value of the cotton crop during the past season passed that of any previous year in history, according to the statement of Col. Henry G. Hester. The crop was valued at $778,894,000.——Over a thousand veterans from North Carolina were present yesterday at the opening of the annual reunion in Norfolk. A parade will feature the exercises today.——The acting President of Chile, who succeeded the late President Montt, died suddenly yesterday.—State-wide primaries were held yesterday in Vermont and New Hampshire.——New York markets: Money on call steady 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 3-4, closing bid 1 3-4, offered at 2; spot cotton closed quiet 75 points lower, middling uplands 14.25, middling gulf 14.50; flour quiet and lower to effect sales; wheat weak No. 2 red 1.05 1-4 elevator and 1.05 1-2 f. o. b. afloat, No. 1 new northern Duluth 1.22 f. o. b. to arrived; corn weak, No. 2, new 64 3-4 elevator domestic basis; rosin and turpentine quiet.

READY TO REPORT ON NOTED INQUIRY

Findings in Ballinger-Pinchot Affair Will Be Made Public Soon.

COMMITTEE TO MEET TODAY

Conflicting Reports Regarding the Result—Minority is Said to Favor Vindicating Ballinger—Details Given.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 6.—Democratic members of the Ballinger-Pinchot Investigating Committee, which will meet tomorrow, have practically agreed on their report in the notable controversy, and at tomorrow's session will make an effort to secure authority to give out immediately the findings of the whole committee. While the exact nature of the majority report to be made by the Republicans is not known, it is reported the decision has been reached to vindicate Secretary Ballinger.

Contrary reports were also in circulation. It was said, but without apparent authority, that the Republican members, who formerly had been reported to be strongly in favor of vindicating the Secretary were inclined to modify views previously held in this respect, but to what extent was not determined.

The minority report, which will be signed by Senator W. E. Purcell, of North Dakota; Senator Duncan U. Fletcher, of Florida; Representative Ollie M. James, of Kentucky, and Representative James M. Graham, of Illinois, will it is said, approve of the course of Gifford Pinchot former chief forester; James R. Garfield, former Secretary of the Interior, and Louis D. Glavis, the discharged chief of field division of the general land office.

The details of the minority findings were not disclosed, but there is no doubt that the report will condemn the actions of the Secretary and his part in the dispute.

Representative Edward H. Madison, of Kansas, a Republican insurgent, supported the Democratic members in the fight to make public at once the findings. That the latter will succeed there is little doubt, unless the Republicans decide to break the quorum. Incidentally Mr. Madison has prepared a separate minority report. The nature of the independent finding of the Kansas member could not be learned, but it can authoritatively be stated it will uphold Mr. Pinchot.

The Democrats plan to introduce at tomorrow's session a resolution authorizing the committee to make known as soon as possible the decision of the members, who have spent months in considering the evidence taken during the extended hearing in Washington.

The Republican members of the committee, who are here now to formulate their report, are Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, the chairman; Senator George Sutherland, of Utah, and Representative Samuel W. McCall, of Massachusetts.

Senator Frank J. Flint, previously had informed the committee that he would not attend the sessions here and Senator Root, of New York, who has been abroad, will, it is said, be unable to reach the city in time for the deliberations. An urgent call has been sent to Representative Demby, of Michigan, to be here as soon as possible and Representative Marlin E. Olmstead, of Pennsylvania, who had announced that he would not be present at the meeting, also has been asked to attend. Representative Denby, of Michigan, was detained by the holding of the primaries in his State and it is not possible for him to reach the city until Thursday.

It is apparent to the Republicans that the Democrats, aided by Representative Madison, could force through the contemplated resolution. The latter fear that Republican members may be scarce tomorrow when the meeting is scheduled and another effort may be made to postpone the session until Thursday, by which time Representatives Denby and Olmsted could be present. Should they arrive Thursday and the meeting called for tomorrow be postponed until that time, the Republicans then would have five members on the ground and the Democrats a like number. Were a vote then taken on the proposed resolution it is likely a tie would result.

The Democrats have given the Republicans no inkling of their purpose to have a resolution adopted and will make every effort to secure a quorum for tomorrow's meeting. Inasmuch as the minority members and Representative Madison agreed as to the character of the findings they will sign, they feel that they should be made known at once. The Democrats say the Republicans have had sufficient time to consider the evidence and they can see no reason to delay formulating and giving out the report.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 6.—Addison E. Mullikin, Republican nominee for Congress in the Fourth Maryland District, announced tonight that if he is elected he will vote against the re-election of Speaker Cannon. In the recent Republican primary Mr. Mullikin received the support of the party organization and defeated an avowed "insurgent" candidate.

VALUE OF THE COTTON CROP

Brought $95,000,000 More Than Crop in 1908-09 With Over 3,000,000 Bales Less—As to the South's Consumption.

New Orleans Sept. 6.—That the value of the cotton which the South marketed during the commercial season recently closed thus far surpasses that of any previous year in the history of the country, in spite of a short crop, was the feature of the annual report issued today by Col. Henry G. Hester, secretary and statistician of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange.

The money value of the commercial crop during the season 1909-10 is placed at $778,894,000, showing that while the quantity of cotton marketed was 3,216,000 bales less than the previous season, it brought $95,100,000 more.

This does not include the value of cotton seed which, if added, would show the actual wealth producing capacity of the Southern cotton lands for the commercial years just closed to have been $902,894,000, a gain over 1908-09 of $127,100,000.

According to complete reports from both Northern and Southern milling centers, the South for the third consecutive season manufactured more cotton than the North and increased the lead which it held last season.

The report places the actual cotton growth at 10,389,000 bales. The report of the crop in North Carolina is given as 676 in thousands of bales against 747 last year.

Concerning the cotton consumption by Southern mills the report says: "The spindles in the South number 11,583,359, including old, idle and not complete. Three years ago consumption in the cotton States was ahead of the rest of the United States 220,000 bales; last year the excess narrowed to 60,000, and this year it has again increased to 170,000. This refers to American cotton."

Col. Hester puts the world's consumption of American cotton at 11,774,000 bales, a decrease under last year of 1,383,000 and under the year before of 338,000 bales.

In the South Col. Hester makes the consumption 218,570 under last year Twenty-six new mills are now building in the Southern States with a total of 360,382 spindles and the spindles in the active mills have been increased by 454,686.

This, he says, is not due to the phenomenal showing recorded the year before the panic, but is still an indication of progress by the South in the direction of manufacturing her own cotton.

Of the total of 838 mills, 775 have been in operation; 37 were idle and 26 in course of construction.

HOW T. R. COULD HELP.

Should Tell People Frankly What He Thinks of Cannon.

Mr. Roosevelt has stated over and over again that it is his ambition, so far as it within his power lies, to assist the people to purify politics

There is but one way the people can exert influence to purify politics—by voting for good men and against the other kind.

If Mr. Roosevelt wishes to give information to the people that will be of practical benefit to them, why does he not tell them frankly whether in his opinion Aldrich and Cannon—and the men who vote with them—are friends or enemies of the Republic? Surely he knows whether they are or not, after having co-operated with them as long as he has!

Thousands of Americans believe in Roosevelt. If he states that Aldrich and Cannon, together with their followers, legislate for the special interests instead of the interests of the people, those who follow him will go to the polls on November 8th and purify politics considerably.

PENITENTIARY REFORM.

Texas Legislature Believes It Has Salvation for the Difficulties.

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 10.—Penitentiary reform which has been agitated in Texas for the past 12 months, seems about to reach fulfillment in remedial measures now pending before the special session of the Texas Legislature. The hopeful thing about the proposed new laws is the effort they contain to remove the penitentiary entirely from political control. It is proposed that the Governor shall select five commissioners from a list of 12 nominees to be chosen by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, presiding judge of the Court of Cminial Appeals and the State Treasurer. It is generally agreed that political influence has had a baneful effect upon the penitentiary system of this State, and it seems now that the spoils system will give way to business administration.

COLORED FIREMEN OF STATE.

In Session at Winston-Salem—Mayor Eaton's Welcome.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Winston-Salem, N. C., Sept. 6.—Over 350 negro firemen are in the city attending the 22nd annual session of the Colored Firemen's Association that began its sessions this morning with a welcome address by Mayor O. B. Eaton, of Winston. He was enthusiastically received by hundreds of colored people. He in part said: "A fireman will hazard his job and his life to go to a fire and I even believe he will break out of jail to do his duty at a fire." Continuing, he said, "You are among the class of citizens that represent law, justice and obedience."

Horse racing and comedy shows are among the attractions at Piedmont Park, where all the events are being held.

CANDIDATES TO BE RICHLY REWARDED

Big Cash Bonus, Ludwig Piano, Pony Outfit and Trips to Cuba.

THEY ARE ABSOLUTELY FREE!

Contest Field Embraces Six Districts in Order to Secure Fair Distribution of Prizes—Four Grand Premiums.

Just four more days and the great popularity contest will be placed before the public for its verdict!

An early start is half the battle. It is well for everybody interested in the contest to enter their names or that of their friend at once. The object of the contest is to secure new subscribers to the Morning Star and twenty-eight young women, married or single, also six young men, both in and out of the city, have an opportunity to win several thousand dollars by simply demonstrating their popularity. The contest manager has so planned that it will be an easy matter for thirty-four contestants to become the possessors of valuable premiums.

The first prize for the contest for young women is $500 in cash and that prize may go to any district of the contest.

The second, third and fourth prizes are a handsome upright piano, a pony, harness and buggy, and a double trip to Cuba, with all expenses for the winner and her companion.

Besides the above mentioned prizes there will be six handsome diamond rings, six Turkish leather rockers, six beautiful gold watches, and six bank accounts of $25 each.

Young Men's Contest.

The first prize for this contest inside the city of Wilmington is $50 in cash. The first prize for young men outside the city of Wilmington is $50 in cash.

The second prizes for the city, also outside young men, is a handsome gold watch each.

The third prizes for both the city also outside district, are handsome watches, making six prizes for the young men competing in this contest.

A Friendly Tug of War.

A friendly tug of war will be participated in by the contestants that will not only be of interest to the contestants themselves, but also to the general public, and as this contest goes along, interest that is bound to rival a presidential election will be manifested, and to enter and become a part of a contest of this kind is an education and an experience never to be forgotten, as the ones who really take an active interest cannot help but win when the final count is made.

Later on, the names of the candidates will be published daily, giving the numbers of votes each contestant has to her credit.

The contest department will make a daily count of the votes during the contest up to the last night of the contest, but the final count will be made by representatives of the contestants themselves. That is, each candidate will have a representative, and these representatives will select from among their number the official counters of the final ballots, thereby insuring absolute fairness even to the most skeptical.

Inauguration Monday.

The contest will not be started for several days, giving all an equal chance to have everything explained fully. Receipt books with which contestants may secure subscriptions to the Morning Star, may be had for the asking at the Contest Department, which is situated just across the street from the Star office, on Princess street.

Monday, September 12th, the great contest will begin, enabling prospective candidates an opportunity to plan their campaign, and the following days should be very busy ones for all interested.

Nomination Blank Appears Today.

A nominating blank appears in this issue of the Star, and will appear for the next few days. These blanks call for 2,000 votes, and a contestant entering may send in one of these.

This does not mean that each friend may send in one of the blanks for her, but only one of them can possibly be counted to her credit.

Doubts Removed.

If you are in doubt as to whether your friends already have these nomination blanks to their credit, send them in, and if they have already been credited up these will be destroyed. If they have not been credited up, these will then be placed to his or her credit.

Young Woman's Contest.

Contest No. 1 is for young women, married or single, and has been divided into six districts so that all of the contestants will not be working against each other.

In this contest the Star is offering four Grand Prizes, and 24 district prizes, consisting of $500.00 in cash, a handsome upright piano, two trips to Cuba, with all expenses, a Shetland Pony, Harness and Trap, six Handsome Diamond Rings, Six Turkish Rockers, Six Gold Watches and Six $25.00 Bank Accounts.

The young woman, city or country, who has the largest number of votes to her credit at the close of the contest will be awarded the $500.00 in

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Base Ball

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—Brooklyn bunched hits with errors by Philadelphia today and easily won the game by 5 to 1. Rucker kept the home team's hits scattered.

Brooklyn .. .. ..300 100 001—5 8 3
Philadelphia .. ..000 001 000—1 8 5

Rucker and Bergen; Shettler and Dooin. Time 1:40. Umpires Brennan and O'Day.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Cole continued his string of victories today by downing Cincinnati 5 to 2, after a hard fight with Burns. Three timely drives in the eighth clinched the game for Chicago.

Chicago .. ..001 010 03*—5 7 0
Cincinnati .. .. ..000 100 010—2 7 4

Cole and Kling; Burns and McLean. Time 1:47. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

New York, Sept. 6.—The smallest crowd of the year at the Polo Grounds saw the Giants defeat Boston today by a score of 6 to 2.

Boston .. ..000 100 001—2 8 2
New York .. .. ..010 230 00*—6 5 1

Crandall and Myers and Schlei; Mattern and Smith. Time 1:23. Umpires Kane and Klem.

At Pittsburg-St. Louis postponed, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York, Sept 6.—The New York Americans took the last game of the series from Philadelphia today, though outbatted by the American League leaders.

Philadelphia .. ..010 001 000—2 9 1
New York .. .. ..200 000 10*—3 5 1

Plank and Lapp; Hughes, Warhop and Criger. Time 1:37. Umpires Colliflower and Connolly.

Detroit, Sept. 6.—Detroit defeated Cleveland today 6 to 2 in a game marked by a lot of hitting and comparatively little run getting. Birmingham's fielding and the batting of Schmidt and Crawford featured. Score:

Cleveland .. .. ..000 100 100—2 12 2
Detroit .. ..030 000 30*—6 12 0

Young, Koester and Land; Summers and Schmidt. Time 1:38. Umpires O'Loughlin and Egan.

St. Louis, Sept. 6.—St. Louis and Chicago broke even today. The home team won the first game 2 to 1 and lost the second 5 to 2.

St. Louis .. .. ..000 000 001—2 7 1
Chicago .. ..000 010 000—1 4 1

Scott, Hall and Stephens; Scott and Block. Time 1:53. Umpire Evans.

Second:

St. Louis .. .. ..002 000 000—2 7 2
Chicago .. ..000 000 041—5 3 2

Hall and Killifer; Olmstead and Block. Time 1:43. Umpire Evans.

MINOR LEAGUES.

Southern League.

At Atlanta 5; New Orleans 2.
At Nashville 6; Montgomery 2.
At Chattanooga 4; Birmingham 10.
At Memphis 2; Mobile 5.

Virginia League.

At Petersburg 0; Norfolk 6.
At Roanoke 0; Lynchburg 5.
At Danville 3; Richmond 2.

THE POST SERIES.

Details for Games Between Fayetteville and Rocky Mount.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 6. Manager Pat Conners, of the Railroaders, forwarded to President Whitaker and Manager Clancy of the Fayetteville club, his list of players eligible to participate in the post series between the Highlanders and the Railroaders, and last night a like list from the Fayetteville manager was received in this city this being done in accordance with the ruling of the league directors as was decided at their meeting in this city several weeks ago. The crew left the city this morning for Fayetteville where the first game of the post series will be played this afternoon.

After the meeting of the league directors held in Goldsboro last night, Owner G. N. Napier, of the Fayetteville Club, and President Lewis C. Levy, of the local association, held a short meeting at which time the schedule for the post series was decided upon. For Tuesday and Wednesday of the week the Rocky Mount Club will play Fayetteville in Fayetteville while on Thursday the championship fight will be returned to this city and on Thursday and Friday two games are scheduled for this burg, while if a fifth game is necessary the same will come to Rocky Mount, and will be played on the local field. The fifth game was given to this city because there is a doubt as to its being necessary, as there is also a slight doubt with regard to the fourth, for the team that wins the first three will be declared the winner of the coveted rag. Capt. Napier was willing to allow the three games to be played here if we would take the shot, and allow the Highlanders to get the first two of the five.

FOR THE INLAND WATERWAY.

Board Heard Arguments in Favor of Buying Lake Drummond Canal.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 6.—The Intra-Coastal Waterways Board, composed of Army engineers, met here today and heard arguments in favor of the purchase of the Lake Drummond Canal as a tributary to the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal, which already has been recommended for purchase as a link in the proposed inland waterway south from Norfolk.

Large delegations from Elizabeth City, N. C., and intermediate points were present to urge the purchase of both canals.

Members of the board in attendance were Col. F. B. Abbott, of Boston; Lieut. Col. J. C. Sanford, of Newport, R. I., and Lieut. Col. M. K. Patrick, of Norfolk.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Athletics	84	39	.683
Boston	73	50	.594
New York	71	52	.577
Detroit	70	54	.565
Washington	57	69	.452
Cleveland	52	70	.426
Chicago	47	94	.388
St. Louis	38	84	.311

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	81	37	.687
Pittsburg	70	48	.593
New York	69	50	.580
Cincinnati	62	61	.504
Philadelphia	61	61	.500
St. Louis	48	71	.398
Brooklyn	47	73	.392
Boston	44	81	.352

FAYETTEVILLE WINS FIRST

Highlanders Get Flying Start and Take First of Championship Series—Luyster and Tracy Opposing Pitchers—The Score.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 6.—The Fayetteville Highlanders got a flying start and took the first game of the championship series from Rocky Mount through Bill Luyster's terribly effective pitching, backed by good hitting and smooth team work. After Rocky Mount had tied the score in the sixth, the Highlanders landed on Tracy for three singles, and a double in the seventh putting the game on ice. Hartley batted like a fiend, making two smashing doubles, good for two runs. Schumaker and O'Halloran got two hits each. The game tomorrow will be called at 2 P. M.

The Tabulated Score.

Rocky Mount.	AB	R.	H.	PO	A.	E.
Forgue, ss.	4	1	1	4	2	0
Gillespie, 3b.	4	0	1	0	2	0
Gastmeyer, 2b.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Cranegan, cf.	4	0	1	4	0	0
Stein, lf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sharry, 1b.	3	0	0	11	1	0
Griffin, rf.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Dussault, c.	3	0	0	2	7	0
Tracy, p.	3	0	1	0	4	1
*Leary	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	1	5	24	16	1

Fayetteville.	AB	R.	H.	PO	A.	E.
Mullen, cf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
O'Halloran, 2b.	4	0	2	1	6	1
Dwyer, 3b.	4	0	1	1	1	1
Luyster, p.	4	0	0	1	5	0
Schumaker, 1b.	3	1	2	13	1	0
Breitenstein, lf.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Schuman, rf.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Hartley, c.	3	2	2	5	1	0
Landgraff, ss.	2	0	1	3	4	0
Totals	26	3	9	27	18	2

*Batted for Sharry in ninth.

Score by Innings.

	R.	H.	E.
Rocky Mount	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1	5	1
Fayetteville	0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 x—3	0	2

Summary: Stolen bases, O'Halloran, Breitenstein, Landgraff, Gastenmeyer, Forgue; sacrifice hits, Breitenstein, Schuman, Landgraff, 2; base hits, Hartley 2; double plays O'Halloran to Landgraff to Schumaker, Luyster to O'Halloran to Schumaker; struck out by Tracy 2, Luyster 5; bases on balls, off Tracy 1, Luyster 2; hit by pitcher, Breitenstein by Tracy; time 1:25; umpires, Burke and Barre; attendance 700.

THE RALEIGH SEASON.

Not a Success Financially—Expect Sale of Players.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 6.—The Raleigh baseball fans are mighty glad to come out of the season just closed third in the percentage column and let Rocky Mount go on with the pennant. The Raleigh team has had such a hard time of it all season that quite a number of the best supporters of the team here are predicting that Raleigh will be without a team next season. The management changed in the midst of the season and both lost heavily, with dissentions and troubles of several sorts. The management that closed the season will lose probably $1,000 not to mention the losses that their predecessors bore. The season is pronounced here anything but satisfactory. They are hoping to have at least one or two of their best players drafted and in this way to make up some of the losses sustained.

VIRGINIA TOWN VOTED DRY.

Result of Local Option Election at Fredericksburg, Va.

Fredericksburg, Va., Sept. 6.—The drys won out in the local option election here today. A total of 732 votes were cast. Fredericksburg has been dry since 1908 when the temperance element wrested control from the wets by a majority of 31. In today's contest the drys had a majority of 92.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Ten days liberty for a frolic in New York will be given the men of all the vessels of the Atlantis fleet except the battleship Delaware, upon the completion of the target practice off the Virginia Capes about September 20th. The Delaware will proceed direct to Norfolk, Va.

GENUINE ECZEMA REMEDY.

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No more than ONE will be credited to each candidate

CANDIDATES TO BE RICHLY REWARDED

(Continued From Page One.)

cash. The second highest will be awarded the Piano. Third highest will receive the Trips to Cuba, selecting her own companion to accompany her, and the fourth highest will receive a Shetland Pony and complete outfit.

Should the second highest contestant, however, prefer the trips or the Pony to her Piano, she would be allowed the privilege of choosing her prize, as the largest numbers of votes of course, have first choice of the prizes.

Twenty-four District Prizes.

After the Four Grand Prizes have been awarded there will be 24 district prizes divided evenly among the six districts making four prizes sure to go to each of the six districts into which this contest has been divided.

A coupon good for five votes appears daily in the Morning Star, and of these a young woman may gather as many as she possibly can daily, and have her friends gather them for her, and if she sends them into the office before the date at the bottom has expired, they will each one count for five votes to her credit.

The nomination blanks which also appear daily, are to be used for nominating only, and only one will be credited to each contestant. These nominating blanks count for 2,000 votes, and enable the young woman to make a good start when she first enters the contest.

How Votes Are Secured.

Contestants and their friends may gather as many of the ten vote daily ballots as they can possibly secure, each one placing the candidate's names just that much nearer the Grand Prizes.

Another way to secure votes is to gather subscriptions to the Morning Star. Votes will be allowed on new subscriptions, on arrearges, and also on renewal of subscriptions.

Year's Subscription 3,000 Votes.

A year's subscription to the Morning Star is $6.00 and on that subscription 3,000 votes will be given on a new subscriber. The schedule on four months and six months subscriptions is also fully outlined in today's announcement. A full list of premiums, the schedule of votes, the distribution of the prizes, in fact every detail pertaining to the contest is fully explained in the full page announcement today.

Now is the time to enter the contest, for an early start is half the battle. Send in your name or that of your friend at once to the Contest Manager of the Morning Star, and get the contest fully explained, and the winning will be easy.

Who May Enter Contest.

Any young woman, married or single, residing in Wilmington or the States of North or South Carolina, is eligible to compete in this contest. A young woman does not have to be a subscriber to the paper in order to enter. All that is necessary is to send in the name and address, and assurance that the person entering is in good standing.

No relative or anyone connected with the Star office will be allowed as a contestant.

Contest No. 2—For Boys.

The Star has also put on a contest affording the hustling boys of its territory a chance to put in their spare time during the next few weeks before school opens to win a handsome prize for their efforts.

A coupon appears daily for the boys' contest, and each one of the votes counts for five, and the young man may secure as many of these as he possibly can get together. His friends may gather them and send them in for him, just so they are sent in before the date at the bottom has expired. They will count to the young man's credit for five votes each.

This contest is entirely separate from the contest for young women which has just been inaugurated, but the same schedule of votes will be used for both contests. That is 3,000 votes on a new yearly subscription, 1,000 votes on a new six months subscription, and 400 votes on a new four months subscription.

There will be three prizes for the young men in the city of Wilmington, and three prizes for young men outside of the city of Wilmington, so in that manner this contest has been divided into two districts. The first prize for each district for the young men will be $50.00 each in cash. The second prize for each of the two districts will be handsome gold watches, and the third prizes for each of the two districts will be smaller watches.

A young man may send in one of the nomination blanks, thereby starting his name in the paper with 2,000 votes, and he may gather as many of the five vote coupons as he can possibly secure. Besides that he may secure subscriptions to the Morning Star, and secure large number of votes on each one brought in.

AFTER BALTIMORE GRAFTERS.

Governor Crothers Brings Charge Against Police Department.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 6.—Governor Crothers, who is making a personal investigation of the Baltimore police department, sprung a sensation at today's hearing when he declared that he would prove "graft" in connection with the sale of cocaine running in one case to $10,000.

According to the Governor it is the illegal selling of cocaine which, perhaps, has excited more interest than any other charges which have reflected upon the police department. During the course of his statement he declared that he expected to prove that one drug store in the city did a cocaine business amounting to $900 a week, while another did at least twice that much. He said that he would show that cocaine had been sold everywhere and without restraint and that it seemed as if the business could not be stopped. He asserted that he expected to prove by a full confession the names of four officers, who were paid weekly stipends by the transgressors of the law for protection in the conduct of their business.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

Auction Sale of Bankrupt Stock of Goods.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was appointed trustees of the estate of Ed. N. Penny, Inc., bankrupt, will expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Saturday, the 10th day of September, 1910, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and continuing from day to day until finally disposed of, either as a whole, or in separate lots, the entire stock of goods, wares and merchandise and fixtures in my hands, as said Trustee, belongingto the estate of said bankrupt and now located in that store building known as No. 28 South Front street Wilmington, North Carolina; said sale to take place in said building.

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We have just received an immense assortment of trunks and suit cases that we have on our ground floor and the line is complete in everything, from a grip at 25c to a suit case at $12.50. We are selling a solid steel framed, brass trimmed suit case for 98c, and an all leather case that is absolutely leather for $5.00.
In the Dress Goods Department we have received a lot of nice new silks that we are selling for 69c and 75c per yard. A complete assortment of Soisette Silks in all colors at 25c per yard. In our Domestic Goods Department, shirting, bleaching, outing, ticking, suiting—the prices are lower this year than last.
We are showing a beautiful line of Fall Ginghams for children's school dresses. We are selling the black diamond chambreys for 9c per yard, they are worth 12 1-2c. Toile du Nord Ginghams, that are sold elsewhere for 15c, we are selling for 10c, a good apron gingham at 5c. Pillow cases for 10c apiece. Good sheets for 45c each.
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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Reward for Murderer—Jim Staley Identified—Opening of Schools—State Fair Arrangements—Other News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 6.—Governor Kitchin offers a reward of $100 for the arrest of Alma Rains, the wife-slayer who shot down his wife near Apex, this county, Saturday. The man seems to have gotten clear away from this section. He is a negro who has in time past, especially in the North, moved as a white man. He lived at one time in Philadelphia where he was a strike-breaker for one of the biggest strikes in the Quaker City.

Charles Jones and Lester Harper, two negroes, were brought here this morning from Wayne county by Deputy Sheriff J. A. Toler to serve respectively five and seven years each for house breaking.

Governor Kitchin returned this afternoon from his Labor Day trip to Spray and Reidsville to deliver political addresses in connection with the campaign of Major Chas. M. Stedman for the Fifth district seat in Congress now held by Congressman Morehead, Republican.

That all of Eastern Carolina from Norfolk to Raleigh, via Washington, will be provided with exceptional facilities for the people to come to Raleigh for the Great State Fair and the Home-Coming week October 17th to 22nd is the assurance of the officers of the Norfolk & Southern Railroad Co., which now extends into all that section of the State with regular double daily service Norfolk to Raleigh and that will be increased by ample extra trains during the State Fair and Welcome week.

The State Fair management has won a compromise in its fight with the Ringling Bros. Circus over the appearance of the circus here during fair week in that it has forced the circus people to change its date from Thursday (the biggest day of the Fair) to Friday. The change of circus dates is with Durham.

Former Deputy United States Marshal H. S. Reece, who was dangerously shot two years ago while in the government service raiding blockaders by a negro believed to be Jim Staley, was here today and identified Staley as the man who did the shooting. He is in Wake jail having been arrested in Davidson county last week

The State Hospital for the Insane here has at last made room for Willie Medlin, the insane woman whom it has been necessary to confine in the county jail for several weeks because of the claim of the hospital management that there was no room in the enlarged hospital. She was carried out to the hospital today thereby relieving one of the most pitiable cases that has developed hereabouts in a long while.

The A. & M. College is having the biggest opening in its history this week. The three colleges for women here will have their opening next week. Meredith College opens September 14th and St. Mary's and Peace Institute on September 15th. Each of these colleges has by odds the best prospects in its history for openings right up to the limit of capacity.

Two announcements of the engagement of prominent society people are just announced. Miss Susanne Crow, daughter of Mr. C. C. Crow and Mr. Robert Anderson Brown, of the Citizen's National Bank, the wedding to be September 14th, and Miss Norris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Norris, and Mr. James McKinnon, this wedding to be on November 2nd.

AUDIT AND FINANCE BOARD.

No Quorum Last Night—Informal Discussion Among the Members.

On account of the lack of a quorum there was no meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance last night, a recess having been taken until Friday night of this week. Only Messrs. Tiencken and Cooper were in attendance. City Attorney McClammy and Dr. Jos. Akerman, superintendent of health, were also present and a number of city matters were discussed but, of course, no action could be taken. City Attorney McClammy stated that he had been asked by the Water and Sewerage Committee in regard to paying over the remainder of the contract price for the waterworks system. Mr. McClammy advised them that the money should not be paid over until the contractors gave a bond to indemnify the city against any recovery on suits that might be instituted growing out of their operations in the city. Mr. McClammy was asked if the money would be paid over until the streets were restored to some semblance of their former condition. He stated that this would be a matter for the Street and Wharves Committee to take up and notify the Commission not to pay over the money until the streets were restored. It was intimated that this would be done before the money is paid over.

Dr. Akerman made a statement as to health conditions and regretted that the extra effort had not been put forth sooner. He said that he thought the extra force could be taken off about the middle of September and that the work done had been most satisfactory thus far. He stated in response to inquiry that he did not know what progress the Aldermen were making in the drafting of a satisfactory sanitary ordinance; that something should be done at once.

VETERANS AT NORFOLK.

Capt. Paddison Was Here Yesterday En Route to the Reunion.

Capt. R. P. Baddison, of Point Caswell, a member of the staff of Gen. Julian S. Carr, major general commanding the Division of North Carolina Confederate Veterans, was here yesterday en route to Norfolk, where he will attend the reunion and take part in the parade today. Capt. Paddison attends the reunions regularly and is one of the best known veterans in this section of the State. The reunion began yesterday, a number of interesting features having been arranged for the Carolina veterans by the Virginians. The parade, in which troops from Fortress Monroe, marines and Virginia volunteers will participate, will be the principal feature today.

SABBATH SCHOOL RALLY.

To Be Held at Garland, N. C., on September 17th.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chadbourn, N. C., Sept. 7.—A Sabbath School rally of Wilmington Presbytery will be held at South River Presbyterian church, Garland, N. C., on Saturday before the third Sunday, September 17, 1910. The public is most cordially invited to attend these services, and bring with them a basket dinner. Basket dinner will be served on the grounds. We most cordially invite our brethren of all denominations to take part with us in this meeting, and to mingle with us their songs of praise and thanksgiving to God. It will be a day, not only of pleasure and recreation, but a day of real Spiritual benefit. Our purpose in this meeting: "Enthusiasm in the Sabbath School Work." Come with your hearts and minds filled with this Spirit.

The following speakers will have a special invitation to deliver an address on the Sabbath School Work. These speakers are asked through this column to be present, and as soon as they read this announcement, these speakers are requested to write Rev. E. B. Carr, Chadbourn, N. C., as to whether they can come. We hope to have with us: Mr. J. A. Brown, Chadbourn, N. C.; Mr. O. L. Clark, Clarkton, N. C.; Mr. W. M. Cumming, Wilmington, N. C.; Mr. Willie Sprunt, Wilmington, N. C.; Mr. H. W. Malloy, Wilmington, N. C.; Mr. Irving Shaw, Kerr, N. C. Then, if we have time, we will call for all the Sabbath School Superintendents present to speak a word of encouragement. We hope to have with us Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., Wilmington, N. C., one of whom will open the meeting by a sermon on Family Religion.

Conveyances will be furnished the people from Garland to the church. All who expect to come by railway, please write Mr. Jim Cromartie, Garland, N. C., who will act as committee on transportation.

We hope to have four or five hundred present at this meeting. All our people from Atkinson, Caswell, Ivanhoe, Kerr and Black River church are expected to come in large numbers.

E. B. CARR.

MRS. CALADONIA ROBERTS DEAD.

Duplin County Lady Passed Away in This City Yesterday.

Mrs. Caladonia Roberts, of Wallace, Duplin county, passed away at 8 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of her son, Mr. Robt. Roberts, No. 608 South Seventh street, at the age of 53 years. She came to this city two or three days ago for treatment and grew gradually worse until the end came at the hour mentioned. Accompanied by her son-in-law, Mr. A. T. Gideons, of Wallace, the remains were taken on the 7 o'clock train last night to Wallace, where the funeral and interment will take place. The bereaved have the sympathy of a great many friends.

AMERICAN WARSHIPS LEAVE.

Services Not Required at Nicaragua. Gone to Panama.

Washington, Sept. 6.—With tranquility reported to exist throughout Nicaragua two American warships, the Tacoma and the Yorktown, have left that country for Panama, according to dispatches received at the State Department today. The Vicksburg remains behind at Corinto to protect American interests should occasion arise.

State Department officials said today that the departure of the two ships for the isthmus merely marked the close of the trouble in Nicaragua and was not occasioned by any prospective trouble in the Republic of Panama over the election of an executive. It was said that the United States had taken no steps and contemplated none towards intervention in the latter country.

Dispatches telling of the recognition of the Estrada force at San Juan Del Sur and at Greytown, were received from Commander Blue and Commander Davis, respectively. Commander Halstead reported peaceful conditions around Corinto.

SEMINOLE FOUND SCHOONER.

Located Abandoned Vessel off Cape Hatteras Yesterday.

Beaufort, N. C., Sept. 6.—The four-masted schooner Catherine M. Monahan, of New London, Conn., which was abandoned in a leaky condition 14 miles south of Cape Hatteras on August 24th while on a voyage from Knights Key, Fla., to New York, was located today in 17 fathoms of water by Capt. Crisp, of the United States revenue cutter, Seminole. She forms a dangerous obstruction to navigation and will be blown up by the Seminole.

It Saved His Leg.

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The following from Thomas J. Pence's Washington correspondence of yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer will be read with interest here:

"Mr. B. F. Keith, collector at the port of Wilmington, has been here in connection with the plans of the supervising architect of the Treasury for the new custom house at Wilmington. An effort will be made to secure another hundred and fifty thousand dollars in order to erect a more pretentious building than that originally planned. The amount appropriated by Congress is $300,000. Mr. Keith says the people of Wilmington will ask Congress to add $150,000 to the appropriation.

"The collector of the port of Wilmington is going along in the enjoyment of his job, which he has held for a number of years, and which has been much desired by National Committeeman Duncan for a Mr. King, whom he backed. The chances seem to favor Mr. Keith remaining in office. It is asserted that King is a resident of Georgia, and has not lived in North Carolina sufficiently long to identify himself with the State."

Comes to Wilmington.

Kinston Free Press: His friends in this city will be interested to learn that Rev. C. Manly Morton, of Wilson, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Christian church at Wilmington and will assume charge of his new work about the middle of September. Mr. Morton is corresponding secretary of the North Carolina Christian Missionary Convention and for the past two years has been pastor of the churches at Ayden and Farmville.

Mrs. G. W. Bornemann Bereaved.

Mrs. G. W. Bornemann has received the sad intelligence of the death her aged father, Mr. John Gerken, which occurred at his home in Germany on August 22nd. Mr. Gerken visited his daughter in this city a few months ago and he made many friends while here who will regret to learn of his death. Mrs. Bornemann will have the sympathy of a great many friends in her bereavement.

North Wilmington School.

The North Wilmington private school, two miles from the city, on the Castle Haynes road, opened Monday with 31 pupils and the outlook is exceedingly bright for an increased attendance as the work progresses. Miss Isla Futch, of Castle Haynes, is the teacher and the school is very popular. Music, vocal and instrumental, is taught by Miss Futch and the students are making fine progress.

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Messrs. C. N. Evans and B. F. Keith, who were members of Wilmington's delegation to attend the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Convention at Providence, R. I., have arrived home. There were several thousand delegates from Southern cities. Nation-wide interest was taken in the convention and the Wilmington delegates were pleased with the splendid programme carried out.

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48	42-86	48-80		n via Petersburg. *Daily	80-49	83-41	49
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar.	Goldsboro Lv.	2 50pm	6 40am	2 50pm
12:36pm	11 05pm	12:36pm	Ar.	Wilson Lv.	1 53pm	5 40am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	Rocky Mount Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	12 58am
	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar.	Weldon Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	
	4:00pm	7:05pm	Ar.	Petersburg Lv.	9:13am	1:40am	
5:50pm	a8:00am		Ar.	Norfolk Lv.		a8:00pm	*8:15am
	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar.	Richmond Lv.	8:15am	1:00am	
	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar.	Washington Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	
	9:52am	1:15am	Ar.	Baltimore Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	
	11:55am	3:40am	Ar.	West Philadelphia Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	
	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar.	NEW YORK Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	

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55-89	51-83	*Daily	82-50	80-54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. Florence Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. Charleston Lv.	5:55pm	5:20am
2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. Savannah Lv.	1:20pm	12:15am
11 55am	2 20am	Ar. Albany Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm
9:40am	1:45am	Ar. Thomasville Lv.	2 35am	2 05pm
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. Montgomery Lv.	6 50pm	6 00am
7:15am		Ar. JACKSONVILLE Lv.	9:15am	7:55pm
2:05pm		Ar. Sanford, Fla. Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm
7:00pm		Ar. TAMPA Lv.	9 00pm	10:30am
8:55pm		Ar. ST. PETERSBURG Lv.		6:45am
10:20pm		Ar. FORT MYERS Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am

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55	51	*Daily.	32-50	84
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	Florence Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:20am	Ar. Sumter Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	Ar. COLUMBIA Lv.	4:10pm	6:00am
		Ar. AUGUSTA Lv.	2:30pm	
11:30pm	1:10pm	Lv. Columbia Sou. Ry Ar.	2:30pm	5:00am
5:30am	7:40pm	Ar. Saluda " Lv.	8:45am	10:25pm
6:00am	8:15pm	Ar. Hendersonville " Lv.	8:05am	9:50pm
7:00am	9:15pm	Ar. ASHEVILLE " Lv.	*7:00am	8:50pm
9:05pm		Ar. Knoxville " Lv.		6:30am
8:40am		Ar. Louisville Lv.		8:00am
8:00am		Ar. CINCINNATI Lv.		*8:10pm

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57	51-97	55	*Daily	Daily except Sunday.	54	98-50	58
*7:30pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
9:15pm	7:20am	5:09pm	Ar.	CHADBOURN Lv.	*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:25am
11:10pm	11:50am		Lv.	CHADBOURN Ar.		5:00pm	6:10am
12:45am	1:30pm		Ar.	CONWAY Lv.		3:30pm	*4:45am

61	59	53	*Daily.	Daily ex. Sun.	xSunday only.	60	52
x6:30pm	5:25pm	*8:45am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.		10:15am	8:05pm
9:45pm	8:45pm	11:45am	Ar.	Fayetteville Lv.		7:05	4:30pm
9:45pm	8:45pm	12:10pm	Lv.	Fayetteville Ar.		7:00am	4:45pm
11:10pm	10:10pm	1:40pm	Ar.	SANFORD, N. C. Lv.		*5:35am	*3:50pm

68	62	64	Daily except Sun.	xSun. only	69	63	65
x6:45pm	3:25pm	5:50am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	10:15am	12:50pm	6:50pm
8:34pm	5:22pm	7:42am	Ar.	Jacksonville, N. C. Lv.	8:28am	10:35am	4:55pm
9:55pm	6:44pm	9:10am	Ar.	Nor & Sou. Jct. Lv.	7:05am	9:35am	3:35pm
10:00pm	6:50pm	9:15am	Ar.	NEWBERN, N. C. Lv.	x7:00am	9:30am	3:30pm

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	9:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
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Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	8:00 p m	7:30 a m
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Wednesday, September 7th, 1910.

We haven't the least hesitation in opining that Taft wishes Roosevelt would "come back"—to Oyster Bay, and stay there.

A Texas mob hung a judge in effigy because he refused to sentence a woman to be hanged. Those Texans have a wild and uncurried idea of having fun.

Uncle Joe is now in quiescent state. Is it possible that he has permitted the National organization to put the muffler on him? At any rate, it seems he has gone into his hole and is quietly refraining from engaging in further butting in.

Col. Roosevelt is creating distrust ing the highest court of the land. The court was selected by National Republican administrations and if there is anything the matter with the court the Republican administrations are responsible for what they created.

Says the Durham Herald, which is as independent as a wood sawyer: "It will be noticed that most of those Democrats who turn Republican are not long in trying to get what they want." Well, of course, if a fellow can't get an office it doesn't pay to be a Republican.

Republican State Chairman Barnes, of New York, says "hysteria is running riot in this country." Any demonstration against standpatism and any resentment against Republican outrages against the people is hysteria in the eyes of the Republicanism that taxes the masses for the benefit of the classes.

Some people think it looks big to be "broad minded" to the extent that they can slobber over "Slippery Jim" Sherman, even though he come to North Carolina with the brand of discredit placed upon him by both Taft and Roosevelt. It is time for everybody to join in the crusade against everything that is "slippery" as well as "crooked."

Leading Republicans are now admitting that old tariff methods are defective but they defend the policy of protection. Consumers have a mortal fear that protection would be equally abused under any new system as it is under the old one which has burdened them to the point that they want to get rid of the Republican party as the chief cause of the burden.

Prof. J. A. Holmes, the former distinguished State Geologist of North Carolina, goes into office as chief of the Bureau of Mines without the endorsement of Secretary Ballinger of the Interior Department. That is one thing that will relieve Dr. Holms of a srious handicap from the very beginning. Lucky Dr. Holmes! He stands for himself and he is all right.

After his speech at Fargo, N. D., on Monday, Colonel Rosevelt seized a man with the arm clutch, for calling him a liar. The fellow who applied the epithet to the Colonel was a little dried up man with whiskers and was entirely too much of a shrimp to be calling the Strenuous One a liar. People who apply the shorter and uglier word ought to be able to back it up like the Colonel who is himself fond of telling people they lie.

Colonel Roosevelt endorses President Taft's proposition for a tariff commission, and first thing the President knows the ex-President will work it over and bring it out anew as one of "My Policies." What are they going to do with the Constitution of the United States which declares that all taxing measures must originate in the House of Representatives? The proposed tariff commission could never be more than a board to find facts and make recommendations to Congress, unless the Constitution is amended.

RAILROAD CONNECTION WEST.

The principal railroad connections of Wilmington are North and South, but it is impossible that many years shall elapse before this port shall have direct railway with the productive grain and wheat centers of the West. The fact is, if the business interests of Wilmington do not seek Western connections the West will seek the southern seaboard either at Wilmington or some other port. The approaching completion of the Panama Canal makes that one of the assured movements of the near future. Indeed, several railroads, in anticipation of the enlargement of traffic on account of the inter-oceanic canal, are already heading for Southern ports and others have their eye on outlets on the South Atlantic seaboard which furnishes the nearest ports for Ismian Canal traffic.

Wilmington should keep her eyes skinned for the main chance in the movement of these roads towards Southern ports. Our commercial bodies and business men should be alert whenever mention is made of the probability of a railroad extension that means more railway connections for this port with distant territory. Wilmington should be specially interested in the agitation which is now going on concerning the railroad properties of Mr. W. J. Oliver, the Tennessee railroad man. From our exchanges coming from Asheville and Charlotte it is learned that Mr. Oliver has on hand a scheme to extend his new road to Asheville and thence to Rutherfordton where it will connect with the Seaboard Air Line. Thus connection with Wilmington would be made over the Seaboard and Wilmington would have important connections into a large territory with which this port is not now in touch. If our port is to grow it must be from the enlargement of traffic with the South and West and hence every new railroad connection magnifies the importance and increases the possibilities of our port.

Wilmington should, therefore, keep its eye on Mr. Oliver, or rather should get in touch with him concerning his plans. If it be true that he proposes to build to Asheville and Rutherfordton, it ultimately will mean a great deal to Wilmington, and certainly the movement which he contemplates should have our encouragement. There seems to be no doubt that he really means business, for he was in Asheville last week looking over the ground. The Asheville Gazette-News quotes Mr. Oliver as saying that all he wants is encouragement from Asheville and the other points concerned and if that is forthcoming he proposes to build his line from Seiverville through the mountains and to the seacoast. The Gazette-News says his projected line will be a 48 miles shorter route between Asheville and Knoxville than the present line. Mr. Oliver told the interviewer that if the people of the Asheville section desire the line it would only be a short while before it shall have been constructed. Our Asheville contemporary says the extension of the Greenville-Knoxville railroad through Transylvania county, N. C., from South Carolina, is assured by the recent voting of $100,000 in bonds. The proposed line would cross Buncombe and Haywood counties, North Carolina, pass down the Pigeon river valley following the proposed Tennessee and North Carolina extension, and connect at Sevierville with Mr. Oliver's present road.

The Asheville Citizen in an editorial on Monday urges Asheville to take a lively interest in Mr. Oliver's project. Says the Citizen:

"At the present time several movements of powerful appeal are awaiting some action on our part. Chief among these is the new road, the Knoxville, Sevierville and Eastern, of which Mr. Wm. J. Oliver is president. Very little interest has yet been shown in this project, and unless something is done, it will find its way to the fast-growing local heap of 'might-have-beens.' Here it might be remarked that Mr. Oliver and his party were greeted in this city by a 'mass meeting,' consisting of about thirty people, and half of this number was drummed up by the secretary of the Board of Trade. In Atlanta the same party had an audience of over 2,000. It was the 'Atlanta spirit.' Plainly speaking, it is 'up to us' to do something. We cannot forever sit down calmly and wait for that which is called luck to fall our way. Such a course invites final destruction. It is an old axiom that 'God helps those who help themselves,' and we should not throw all the work on the Deity. It has been stated that this is not a rich community, and that calls for public aid are constantly being made on it. That is true, but public enthusiasm and unflagging support generally carry a project to well-financed fields. It is our general apathy and listlessness on public matters that constitute our greatest stumbling block."

Evidently Mr. Oliver means business and it is hoped that Asheville and the mountain country will give him all the encouragement that is possible. "One can safely pin faith to Oliver," says the Charlotte Evening Chronicle, and that esteemed contemporary adds that "Asheville and all other towns interested would do well to take him seriously." Let Wilmington also sit up and take notice, for this movement may mean something.

A Republican tries to get what he wants but takes what he can get.

CURRENT COMMENT.

One of the most winning ways in the State is the Charlotte-to-Wilmington highway.—Greensboro News.

The New York Sun puts it this way: "The Democrats are deploring, the insurgents are exploring and the standpatters are imploring."—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Hannibal L. Godwin and O. L. Clark are the only entrants in the congressional race in the sixth district. Now we shall be able to determine who is the choice of the voters of that district.—Winston-Salem Journal.

The Wilmington city tax books show a gain in valuation of property of $268,000 for 1910 over 1909, whereas the latter's gain over 1908 was but $96,000. Did any one remark that the Cape Fear metropolis was not coming along with the rest of the procession?—Charlotte Observer.

When Roosevelt was first nominated for President, Republicans in this part of the country were afraid of him and said so, predicting that he would eventually run amuck. He came near doing it while President, but was held in check. Now, however, he is doing just what was predicted when he was first nominated. He sees he is dead as a candidate of the old line Republicans, hence his efforts to head a new party.—Greensboro Record.

Roosevelt approves the tariff commission and the Taft administration for administering it broadly. It has done nothing yet for the consumer. It is a convenient receptacle for receiving the promises of reduction. The man who expects genuine tariff reduction or reform from Republicans—insurgent or standpat—is first cousin to the man who expects to gather grapes of thorns or figs from thistles.—Raleigh News and Observer.

One of the fatalities on the Southern Saturday was due to a man stepping from one track to avoid an oncoming train, only to get on the other track in front of a train coming up behind him. This is the fourth occurrence of the sort within the past few weeks. The railroad company ought to be held blameless for every fatality of this sort. There is no law to keep traspassers off the railroad tracks, but this is no reason why the courts could not give the railroads protection from damages, as a simple matter of justice.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The appointment of Joseph A. Holmes to be chief of the bureau of mines is creditable to the Taft administration. The appointment of Prof. Holmes, because he was a personal friend of Gifford Pinchot and James R. Garfield, was sharply opposed by the Ballinger influences and it would have been disgraceful had the opposition proved effective. Prof. Holmes was born and reared in Laurens, and is the son of the late Rev. Z. L. Holmes, who was a teacher of more than ordinary scientific attainments. He obtained a university education by his own exertions and has steadily advanced in his scientific pursuits. As State geologist of North Carolina and throughout his career the characteristic of his effort has been to turn his work to practical account for the benefit of the people.—Columbia State.

Not quite 25,000 Democrats in this city out of a total of about 50,000 affiliated. Democrats—omitting the wards in which there were no contests—took part yesterday in the Congressional primaries. There were 7,892 Republican voters out of a total of 45,000 affiliated Republicans. The Democratic vote shows conclusively that the people will take interest in the selection of candidates. It is a complete refutation of the claim that nominations will go by default if they are left to the people to decide. The small vote on the Republican side is evidence that that party, with its large negro vote, is not as well fitted for the direct primary as the opposition. However, the fact that there was not a sharp competition for the nominations and no competition at all in a number of wards accounted partly for the small vote.—Baltimore News.

The man who thinks the Republicans are not going to work their level best to carry this State and especially this Congressional district, should guess again and then some. There is a man living in the confines of this county who has been and is yet a straight Democrat, who was offered an even thousand dollars if he would accept work under the Republican committee. He was told that he need not change his politics; that is to say, he could go ahead and vote the Democratic ticket; the only thing desired was his work in certain lines. This meant that he was sought to be purchased to be used as a spy and a traitor. The offer was turned down of course. The man to whom it was made needed the money; it was a tempting offer, but he spurned it. This incident alone shows how desperate the Republicans are and how determined.—Greensboro Record.

A recent visitor in Western North Carolina writes a letter to a friend wherein she states that she enjoyed her trip, but she would have found much more pleasure in it "if she hadn't been so lonesome." The lady went on to state that she spent several weeks at one of the hotels and practically no effort was made to introduce her to her fellow guests. And here it may be remarked that the lady in question can and does move in the highest circles of society in her home city. It is not the first time that we have heard of similar complaints. Down in this section of the country many of us seem to take it for granted that the visitor is amply repaid for his coming with daily views of sky and trees. From such conditions it would seem that enterprising hotel men would take a "tip." There is no feeling in the world so fatal to the stranger's enjoyment as lonesomeness, and when he reaches that stage he cuts short his visit. Most hotel clerks and attaches have "time to burn," and these having the interest of their hotels at heart would find it profitable to introduce guests to each other and arrange various entertainments for them. No host or hostess in a private home would think of leaving their guests to their own resources and we are of the opinion that the law of proprieties would be equally applicable to the hotels. We do not know very much about running hotels but the neglect of visitors does not strike us as being good business.—Asheville Citizen.

A Cincinnati man has secured a legacy of $850,000 with the stipulation that he "shall not marry a certain girl." He may marry her and then be able to furnish plenty of proof that she is an uncertain girl.

The government proposes to cut down the size of paper money. What the people would rather see would be the increase of the purchasing power of money by reducing the tariff which enables trusts to squeeze consumers with high prices.

MOUNT OLIVE REPORTS.

Wayne Superior Court—Personal and General News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mount Olive, N. C., Sept. 6.—A two-weeks' term of Superior Court for Wayne county, presided over by Judge Charles M. Cooke, adjourned last Friday afternoon, after disposing of a number of cases. The first week was for the trial of criminal cases and the second for civil cases; but there was not a case for the term, either civil or criminal, of any public interest or importance.

Little Thompson Breazeale, the eight-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Mintz, of this city, who had been ill for several weeks, was taken by his mother a few days ago to Atlanta, Ga., to receive hospital treatment, and yesterday morning, only a few hours after they reached Atlanta, the little darling passed away. The remains reached here on the early morning train this morning at 10 o'clock and the funeral took place from the residence, conducted by Rev. E. E. Rose, pastor of the Methodist church here, with interment in Maple Grove cemetery. This was Mr. and Mrs. Mintz's first and only child, and in this sad loss they have the deep and sincere sympathy of a wide circle of good friends.

A religious revival of much interest is being conducted at the Methodist church here by Rev. E. C. Glenn, of Greensboro, N. C. It began on Sunday, the 28th of August, and will close some time this week. Rev. Mr. Glenn is accompanied and is being aided in the work by Mrs. Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. DuBrutz English and their litle daughter Henrietta, have gone to Hagerstown, Md., on a visit, and while away Mr. English will visit several Northern cities on business.

Mrs. Peter McQueen of White Oak, N. C., with her children, has returned to her home after a visit here to the home of her father, Dr. M. McI. Tatum.

Mrs. Etta Pippen, after visiting relatives here, left last night for her home at Enfield, N. C.

The unusually large attendance at the Democratic primary held here last Friday afternoon shows the great interest which the voters are taking in the political issues of the opening campaign. A Republican primary was advertised for this place a few weeks ago, but no one knows anything about where or how it was held.

The excellent work recently done on our streets has wonderfully added to their good appearance and greatly benefitted their condition. Our city officials are to be commended.

COLUMBUS GOOD ROADS.

County Association—Meets at Whiteville—The Officers, Etc.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Sept. 6.—The second meeting of the Columbus County Good Roads Association was held in the Court House at Whiteville yesterday. Mr. G. Herbert Smith, the president, presided, and in the absence of the secretary, Mr. Martin Schulken, of Whiteville, acted in this capacity.

The present officers of the association are: G. Herbert Smith president, Cronly; W. Ross Davis, vice president, Whiteville; J. G. Thompson, treasurer, Whiteville; K. Clyde Council, secretary, Wananish; Messrs. E. B. Wright, Boardman; J. B. Schulken, Whiteville; J. A. Brown, Chadbourn; F. B. Gault, Lake Waccamaw and K. B. Council, Wananish, constitute the additional members of the Board of Directors.

The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held in Whiteville on the first Monday in October (hour to be set by the president), and additional meetings will be held on each first Monday until the association is in good and effective working order.

It is the request of the association that all citizens who are interested in good roads become members, and make an effort to attend the next meeting. The present outlook is that immense good will result from this association as it is headed by some of the best and most progressive citizens in Columbus county.

LATE MAJ. HOLLINGSWORTH.

General Order Issued by Adjutant General Armfield.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 6.—A general order concerning the death of Col. James G. Hollingsworth, paymaster General of the North Carolina National Guard at Richmond, last night, as the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident, was issued this morning by Adjutant General J. F. Armfield, the order giving a brief statement of the military career of the deceased as directions for the captain in command of the company of the National Guard at Fayetteville to provide a proper military escort and military honors for the interment of the deceased officer. Col. Hollingsworth had first service as a member of Company A., Second Regiment, which he joined in 1887. He was commissioned as first lieutenant for the Spanish-American War, Nov. 16, 1898, serving throughout the war. At the close of the war he was made captain of the Fayetteville company—Co. A., First Infantry—in the re-organization. He was commissioned Major and quartermaster for his brigade August 18th, 1904. The commission as paymaster general, which he held at the time of his death, was issued April 3rd, 1909.

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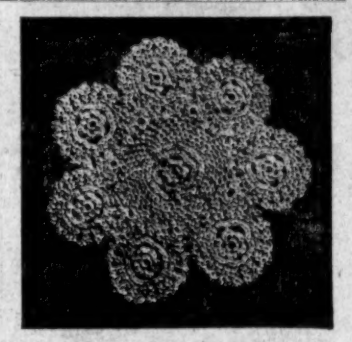

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COURT AT WHITEVILLE.

Mr. R. E. Lee Brown Ill—Mrs. Hall Brought to Hospital—News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Sept. 6.—One of the largest crowds ever known was in Whiteville yesterday at the opening of court. Congressman Godwin was among the visitors, and had rooms at the Columbus Hotel. Those who were stopping at the Columbus say that over 500 voters visited Mr. Godwin's rooms during the day, besides meeting others on the streets.

Mr. Godwin stated to the Star representative that he was confident of the nomination, and expressed gratitude at the reception extended him by his friends in old Columbus. His friends express confidence that he will get a larger per cent. of the county than he did in the June primary.

Mr. Godwin left for home this morning, via Robeson county, but says he will return to Whiteville later.

Our entire county is grieved to learn that Mr. R. E. Lee Brown, of Chadbourn is in a most precarious condition, and this morning left for a sanitarium at Hendersonville, N. C., for treatment. No man in our county stands in higher esteem, or is more honored and beloved than Mr. Lee Brown and his host of friends throughout this section wish him a speedy and complete restoration to health. Owing to his condition it has been decided to organize the large mercantile establishment of R. E. L. Brown, at Chadbourn, into a stock company. It is one of the finest business enterprises in the State.

Mrs. J. W. Hall, wife of a prominent merchant of Hallsboro, has been very ill. It was necessary to charter a special train to bring out a physician from Wilmington and to also carry her to the James Walker Memorial Hospital in Wilmington.

Judge Allen is winning golden opinions from our people by his impartial and able rulings on the bench. The judge is a hustler and is despatching business with a lightning like rapidity. No cases of special interest have yet been taken up.

Rev. Chas. C. Smith will leave this afternoon for Marion county, S. C., to conduct a series of meetings.

ROBESON RURAL CARRIERS.

Meeting in Lumberton Monday and Work of Association.

(Reported for the Star.)

The Rural Letter Carriers of Robeson County met in the Court House in Lumberton, N. C., Monday, Sept. 5th, 1910. The meeting was called to order at 11 o'clock by President C. H. Howard. Roll of officers called and all answered to their names. There were about 20 carriers present. Messrs. G. H. King and G. H. Tally, rural carriers of Fayetteville, were present and each gave an excellent talk on the manner in which the roads are worked in Cumberland county. Mr. J. S. Humphrey also made an enthusiastic speech on good roads, emphasizing the importance of getting the patrons interested in seeing that all road money is properly spent and the ditches kept open. Also to urge them not to plow in the 20-foot limit. Mr. R. O. Edmond, postmaster at Lumberton, urged the carriers not only to familiarize themselves with how to get better roads, but join the association and study the postal laws and regulations.

The president appointed J. S. Humphrey, A. S. Pittman and W. H. Howard a committee to confer with the Farmers' Union, Medical Association and Road Supervisors in regard to getting better roads. How to get the Rural Carriers interested in the association was discussed by A. S. Pittman and others. The meeting then adjourned for dinner and the carriers turned their steps toward the Thompson boarding house where an excellent dinner had been prepared for them. At 3 o'clock the association was again called to order by President C. H. Howard, subjects pertaining to the betterment of the service of rural free delivery being discussed by President Howard. Postmaster Edmond and others. The meeting then adjourned to meet again in Lumberton May 30th, 1911. F. B. HAYES, Secretary.

Fairmont, N. C., Sept. 6th.

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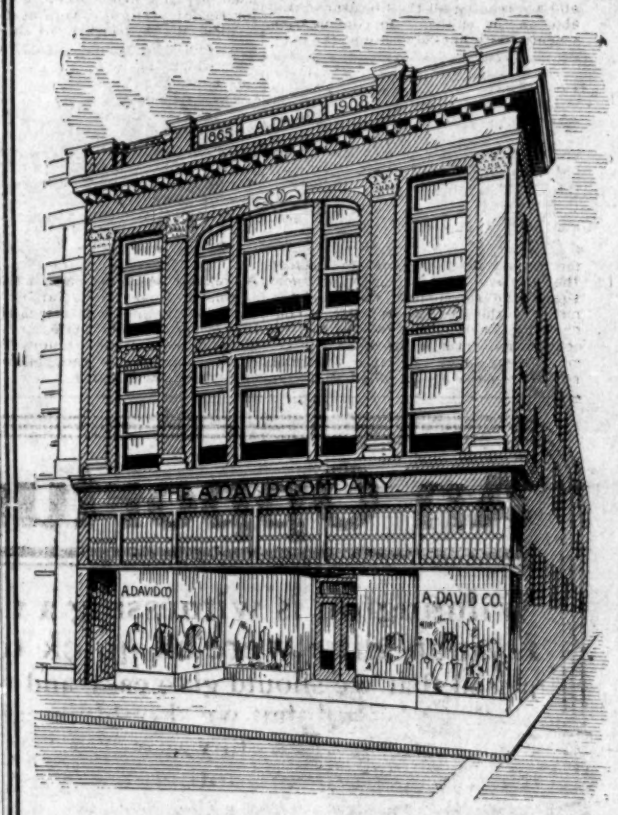

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COMMISSION FORM CONGRESS

Wilmington is Invited to Send Delegates to Meeting at Galveston, Texas—Possible That Delegate Will Go.

Mayor Walter G. MacRae has received from the Mayor-President of Galveston, Texas, an invitation to appoint delegates to attend a City Commission Congress to be held in that city November 21st, 22nd and 23rd and since the commission form of government has been suggested for Wilmington and openly advocated by a number during the past few months, it is considered highly appropriate that the city be represented at the Galveston meeting by one or more able citizens, and at least one person has the matter of attending under advisement.

Galveston claims to be the pioneer in the government by commission and the plan has worked admirably there. The plan has been so successful in that city that 62 cities in 17 States have adopted it. The fact that many other cities and sections are now agitating municipal reform caused Galveston to issue a call for the Congress to be held there. The meeting will be featured by interesting papers and addresses by leading thinkers of the country.

The Galveston plan of a mayor-president and four commissioners, or, in other words; a president and board of directors—the business of the city being handled as is any other business proposition. The plan is calculated to eliminate politics confusion, bickering and graft. The business of the city is divided into four departments, each department being under the charge and direction of a commissioner. The commissioners and the mayor, collectively, constitute what is known as the board of commissioners. It is the idea that the governing body conform as nearly as possible to the organization of a great business corporation.

Several Wilmington citizens are giving the question of commission form of government careful consideration and are reading all the literature available on the subject. In conversation recently with one advocate of the commission plan it was learned that the question that is now giving him the most concern is how the governing body should be chosen—by a direct vote of the people or by appointment by the Legislature. He was almost persuaded that the proper way to secure representative business men for the positions and resultant assurance of good management of the city's affairs would be for two or three hundred of the most prominent and representative men to get together, canvass the situation thoroughly and select the persons they thought the most suited and recommend their appointment by the Legislature. He would, of course, have in the law creating the commission form a provision for removal from office for cause. He had not fully made up his mind that this would be the best way of selecting the officials, but so far as he could see at that time it would not be a bad plan. There are others who think that the people as a whole should given the opportunity to say who should manage the affairs of the city; that all ward lines should be abolished and the most capable men for the respective positions selected regardless of the section of the city in which they live or do business. To them it would make no difference if all lived or did business on the same street; just so they were capable men and having the necessary experience to manage their respective departments.

The Board of Aldermen recently went on record as favoring a commission form of government for the city and a committee was appointed to draft resolutions setting forth the views of the board on the question. The resolutions have not yet been presented, but it is expected that the committee will make report some time within the next few months. The question of sending a delegate to the Galveston Congress in November may be brought to the attention of the board tonight by one of its members.

Mayor MacRae informed the members of the Board of Aldermen last night of the invitation received from the Mayor-President of Galveston relative to the Commission Plan Congress and suggested that Wilmington should be represented by either the city attorney or a member of the Board of Aldermen. He stated that if any member desired to attend he would be glad to appoint him as a delegate. The Aldermen agreed that the city should have a representative at the meeting, but the appointment of a delegate was deferred.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W. B. Thorpe & Co. Purchase Valuable Wharf Property.

By deed filed for record yesterday, William Calder, personally and as a trustee, and Joseph K. Nye and wife, transfer to W. B. Thorpe & Co., Inc., for $9,000, the valuable wharf property located 66 feet north of Ann street and 96 3-4 west of Front street, and 66x99 1-4 feet in size. The property adjoins that now occupied by the firm of Thorpe & Company and will be used by this firm. Other deeds filed for record yesterday were as follows:

Miss Mary Bridgers to James D. Nutt and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on Carolina Heights, the same being on north side of Princess, 70 feet east of 19th street, 70x165 feet in size; A. S. Capps and wife to J. P. Walton, G. G. Hewlett, Adison Hewlett and J. P. Herring, trustees of Masonboro Cemetery Association, for $15, lot on Masonboro township, adjoining lands of M. F. Beasley and A. D. Capps, Vance Norwood and wife to George O. Gaylord, for $650, lot on Brightsville Sound.

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FIRST NEW COTTON OF SEASON

Five Bales Received Yesterday by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son Over W. C. & A.—First Steamer Arrives.

With the receipt yesterday of five bales of new crop cotton over the W. C. & A., from South Carolina by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, the well known exporters, and the arrival of the British steamer Kildale, the first chartered this season by the firm, the beginning of the movement of the staple at the port of Wilmington for the crop year is now on.

The receipts for the day were seven bales, two of which were of old cotton and shipped here from Faison. Cotton is coming in late this season, some ten days behind last year, which is believed to be due to the recent heavy rains throughout the surrounding section. At this time last year there was over 5,000 bales in the compresses of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. On account of the small receipts there was no quotation yesterday on the local exchange.

A rapid movement of the staple to the port of Wilmington from throughout the cotton sections of North and South Carolina is expected to begin the latter part of this week. Good weather during the past few days has given planters a chance to get the staple in readiness for the market and it will now begin coming in lively.

The British steamer Kildale, Capt Milner, which arrived at Southport Monday night, came up the river to her dock yesterday. The vessel came from Montevideo and is a steamer of 2,436 tons net register. The second steamer of the season will be the Mariner, which is expected about the tenth of the month.

The compresses will doubtless begin operation next week, dependent altogether, however, upon the receipts during the next few days. Judging from reports from the cotton region and the estimate of the Department of Agriculture, as to the condition of the crop, which was placed at 72.1 per cent. on Sept. 3rd as compared with 62.7 per cent. on August 25th last year, prospects are very favorable for heavy receipts throughout the season.

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CASES BEFORE RECORDER

Negro Given 12 Months for Assault With Deadly Weapon—Alleged "Blind Tiger" Acquitted—Other Cases Yesterday.

The Recorder had a number of cases for his consideration yesterday morning—an accumulation of three days, there being no session of court on Monday, a legal holiday. However, the cases were disposed of in short order and the session lasted comparatively a short time.

Richard Haywood, colored, was arraigned on the charge of assault with deadly weapon on Joseph Stewart, colored, whom it was alleged he shot in the leg with a pistol in the northern section of the city Monday, following a personal encounter between the two negroes. Stewart's wound, which is of little consequence, was dressed at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, after which he went to his home. Haywood was not arrested until yesterday morning. The Recorder found him guilty and sentenced him to 12 months on the county roads, from which he took an appeal to Superior Court. A warrant was then drawn against him charging carrying concealed weapons and he will be given hearing on this charge today.

John Williams, colored, who conducts a restaurant on the wharf, who was arrested some days ago on the charge of selling whiskey in violation of the prohibition law, was given hearing. The prosecuting witness, a negro woman, testified to having purchased a half pint of whiskey from the defendant and also stated that he had a sack of whiskey bottles. The witnesses she depended upon to corroborate her testimony, did not know anything about Williams selling whiskey. County Attorney Marsden Bellamy, who appeared for the prosecution, announced that he would not ask for a verdict of guilty under the evidence. The defendant was represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq.

Charles Hankins, colored, was tried on the charge of assault with deadly weapon and carrying concealed weapons. Hankins is the negro arrested some days ago on suspicion of being the negro who figured in several hold ups near Sixth and Campbell streets and was given preliminary hearing before Justice Harriss. For larceny from the person he was sent over to Superior Court and in the cases named above he was bound over to the Recorder's court. He was represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq., who, after the evidence had been heard, asked that judgment be left open until today, which request was granted by the Recorder.

A case against Sol. Davis, charged with assault with deadly weapon, was continued until today.

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THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

No Quorum of Board Yesterday, but Jurors Were Drawn and County Tax Books Were Turned Over to Sheriff—Gains.

Only Chairman McEachern and Commissioner J. VanB. Metts were present for the regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners yesterday afternoon, but despite the lack of a quorum for a regular meeting, jurors for the September term of court were drawn and the county tax books were received from Tax Lister T. O. Bunting and assistants and were turned over to the sheriff for collection. Other matters will come up at an adjourned meeting of the board on Thursday.

The tax books for the current fiscal year show 2,547 white polls and 1,433 negro polls against 2,664 and 1,469, respectively, last year, but many others will be gathered in on the delinquent list. The total real and personal property valuation this year is $11,733,547 against $11,190,227 last year. With corporation excess and other special taxes not assessed in the usual way such as telephones, steamboats, etc., the total for the current fiscal year runs up to $15,303,362 against only $14,946,087 last year, the increase being a very substantial one in spite of the fact that there was no new assessment this season. The total amount of collections shown on the boks are $145,092.24 against only $138,311.44.

The jurors drawn yesterday are for the double term of three weeks for the trial of both criminal and civil causes, Judge H. W. Whedbee presiding, and they are as follows, the first week beginning Sept. 26th:

First Week—R. J. Shepard, W. J. Craig, A. E. Boswell, W. J. Orr, G. W. Britt, R. L. Burton, W. S. Cook, Claude Murray, E. L. Smith, B. Solomon, J. H. Southerland, Sr., A. A. Robbins, Owen Martindale, R. C. Sellers, L. D. Bishop, J. R. Bear, A. B. Darden, W. R. T. Alford, Frank Warlick, E. Q. LeGrand, A. G. Bowden, D. J. Watson, W. A. Davis, M. M. Woody, W. A. Rourk, Jno. R. Hanby, Daniel H. Atkinson, Charles J. Mitchell, R. L. Everett, H. Adkinson, E. J. Hardison, H. A. Canady, I. J. Bear, D. N. Maultsby, C. D. Maffitt, D. G. Fergus.

Second week—W. H. Howie, L. B. Murray, W. T. Mercer, W. R. Dosher, H. Cole, F. L. Pearsall, C. H. Batson, M. M. Parker, A. Shrier, Chas. W. Hill, W. C. Peterson, W. G. Hall, J. W. Murchison, A. Kosch, C. B. Rehder, W. A. Leitch, J. B. Cooper, Geo. Schnibben.

Third week—F. A. Muse, C. H. Thompson, J. F. Tripp, C. D. Griffin, J. B. Rice, J. E. Malpass, W. J. Bradshaw, G. W. Matthews, W. R. Applebury, A. G. Warren, D. L. Gore, C. C. Dobson, W. L. Gaskins, J. W. Canpon, R. F. Rowan, A. W. Allen, J. A. Taylor, F. G. King.

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GRAND THEATRE BUILDING

Old MacRae Building Being Remodeled and for Moving Picture Show, Offices and Bachelor Quarters Being Fitted Up.

Mr. J. M. Solky, who recently purchased the valuable MacRae building, at present occupied by the Tidewater Power Company, for its general offices, has decided to remodel and otherwise greatly improve the structure and use the first floor for a modern and up-to-date motion picture show with a seating capacity of 500, the second floor for handsome offices and the third floor for bachelor apartments. The contract for the improvements in accordance with plans drawn by Architect H. E. Bonitz has been let to Mr. R. H. Brady and he began the work Monday morning.

The Tidewater Power Company will begin some time next week moving to its handsome new offices in the Woolvin building on Princess, between Second and Third streets, and will be domiciled in its new quarters by October 1st. The work of re-arranging the first floor of the Woolvin building to suit the requirements of the company is going forward rapidly under the supervision of Mr. Bonitz. The Tidewater Power Company will have one of the most handsome and up-to-date offices of any concern in the State. Workmen yesterday were engaged constructing the brick walls for a vault in the rear of the main office. The several carpenters employed to do the wood work in re-arrangement in the interior of the first floor are going ahead very rapidly with their work and will have it completed in a short time now.

Mr. Solky has changed the name of the building now occupied by the Tidewater Power Company from the MacRae Building to the Grand Theatre building, owing to the fact that he proposes to open by November 1st an up-to-date motion picture show on the first floor, in charge of a capable and experienced manager. The theatre will seat 500 people and the floors will be inclined so that every seat in the house will have an unobstructed view of the stage. The front will be changed to an ornamental plaster design, which will add greatly to the appearance of the building.

The second will be used exclusively for handsome offices, while the third will be arranged for bachelor apartments, with all the modern conveniences being equipped with hot and cold baths, gas and electric lights and will be heated by steam. The work is being done under the supervision of Architect H. E. Bonitz. It is estimated that the improvements will cost in the neighborhood of $8,000.

Ever since he purchased the building Mr. Solky has been considering the matter of converting the first floor into a moving picture theatre and has made several trips to the North seeking full information regarding a theatre of the kind he proposes to open. It is understood that he will operate the theatre himself and will place in charge a thoroughly capable and experienced manager. This will give Wilmington three high-class moving picture shows and a vaudeville theatre and all promise to receive a liberal patronage.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mrs. J. E. Ennett and children will leave today for a visit to Waycross, Ga.

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Miss Bessie Penny has returned from a visit to friends at Jacksonville, N. C.

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Miss Helen Thompson has returned from a visit to relatives and friends at Burgaw.

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Mrs. E. D. Vann is visiting Mrs. T. H. Thompson at their home on North Seventh street.

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Miss Amy Harlow is spending a few weeks in the mountains of western North Carolina.

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Mr. C. H. Fore has gone to New York to purchase Fall and Winter stock for C. H. Fore & Co.

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Mrs. S. N. McIntyre, of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Fleet at her home on South Fifth street.

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Miss Bertha Entelman, of Savannah, Ga., is the guest of Miss Fannie Hall at her home on Dock street.

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Mr. Douglass Taylor left yesterday for Chapel Hill, where he will enter the University of North Carolina.

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Mrs. W. T. Williams and daughter, Laura Gilbert, of Lancaster, S. C., are guests of Mrs. S. P. Adams.

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Mr W. A. Post left yesterday morning for Chapel Hill, where he will resume his studies at the State University.

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Mr. C. D. Foard and family, have returned from Hickory, N. C., where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

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Mrs. J. B. Wilson left yesterday morning and will spend some time the guest of friends and relatives in Atlanta, Ga.

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Miss Elizabeth McDougal leaves this morning for Kenansville, where she will enter school at the James Sprunt Institute.

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Messrs. J. D. and J. C. Montgomery have gone to Durham, N. C., where they will pursue their studies at Trinity College.

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Mrs. Shoulders and Miss Monroe, of New York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lineker at their home on the Castle Haynes road.

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Miss Daisy Champlin, the chief milliner for the C. W. Polvogt Company, has returned to resume her position for the Fall season.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Polvogt have returned from New York, where they have been selecting goods for the C. W. Polvogt Company.

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Mr Warren S. Johnson has returned from a vacation of a couple of weeks delightfully spent in the mountains of western North Carolina.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Winstead, of Washington, are spending a few days in the city, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Farmer.

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Mr. E. T. Taylor has returned from the mountains of Western North Carolina where he has been spending a week or more on his vacation.

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Mr. W. Canova Peterson, Jr., left yesterday afternoon for Wake Forest College, where he will enter college for the ensuing scholastic year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Murrell left yesterday evening for Richmond, Baltimore, and other places in the North where they will spend some time.

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Miss Lottie Haar returned home yesterday from Northern markets, where she has been purchasing millinery for the C. W. Polvogt Company.

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Mr S. P. McNair returned home from Tar Heel yesterday on the steamer C. W. Lyon. He has been spending several days at his farm at that place.

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Mr. William J. Blow, assistant chief clerk at The Orton, returned yesterday from a vacation trip to Ayden, Pitt county, Greenville, N. C., and other points of interest in the State.

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Secretary J. B. Huntington, of the Y. M. C. A., left yesterday for Asheville, where he will spend about two weeks on a vacation. Mrs. Huntington has been visiting in Asheville for some time.

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The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace Church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the lecture room. All ladies cordially invited to attend the meeting.

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Misses Mae and Jessie Holmes and Miss Ruth Evans left yesterday for Louisburg, N. C., where they will be in Louisburg Female College for the Fall term. Miss Mae Holmes will be a member of the college faculty, teaching the Bible course.

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Mrs. Lelia Green Davis and attractive daughters, Misses Mary Ruffin Green and Florence Green and little Miss Lelia Davis, returned yesterday morning to their home in Durham after spending the Summer in this city and at Wrightsville Beach. They were guests at the Tarrymoore Hotel until about a week ago and since then were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. W. Jones, 515 Market street.

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CONFEDERACY DAUGHTERS ELECT THEIR DELEGATES.

The following were elected delegates from Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., to the State Convention to be held October 12th in Rocky Mount, N. C., and the president of the Chapter would like to know as soon as practicable those who will be able to attend: Mrs. Junius Davis, Mrs. F. L. Huggins, Mrs. Jas. F. Woolvin, Mrs. M. S. Willard, Mrs. W. M. Parsley, Miss Hettie James, Mrs. T. E. Sprunt, Mrs. S. P. Adams; alternates, Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, Mrs. L. L. Pritchard, Mrs. W. G. Pulliam, Mrs A. J. Howell, Mrs. F. A. Lord, Mrs. R. W. Hicks, Mrs. R. C. Cantwell and Mrs. Lena Avent. The Wreath Committee for the month ending September 19th, was appointed as follows: Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, Mrs. W. E. Powell, Mrs. Julia Parsley.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. R. D. Carr, of Magnolia, was in the city yesterday making business calls.

—Mr. J. A. Murphy, of Atkinson, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mr. W. E. Thompson left Monday for Davidson College to resume his studies in that institution.

—Former Representative T. H. Wells, of Burgaw, Pender county, spent yesterday in Wilmington.

—Capt. Earl I. Brown, United States Engineer in charge of this district, returned Monday night from an official visit to Beaufort and Cape Hatteras.

—Messrs. Ferdinand Duls and William Bellois have returned to Chapel Hill where they will resume their studies at the University of North Carolina.

—Among the several young men of Wilmington leaving during the past few days for school was Mr. Franklin Smith, who enters the A. & M. College at Raleigh.

—Mr. Frank Herbst returned yesterday, after a most pleasant outing spent in the North with an automobile party composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rehder and Mrs. Theodore Runge. The party took an auto tour through the New England section in Mr. Rehder's Chalmers Detroit car.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Recorder John J. Furlong goes today to Carolina Beach where he will take a much needed vacation of a few days and in his absence Substistute Recorder George Harriss will preside over the sessions of court. The Recorder will return to the city next Monday.

—The feature picture at the Bijou today will be "A Child's Faith," a Biograph subject, showing the efficacy of a little child's appeal for help for her mother. "Davy Jones' Landladies," a breezy, bounding comedy, with waves of roaring laughter and fun, will also be shown.

—Mr. C. E. Scherer, who was seriously injured August 24th when his buggy ran into a wagon, was arrested yesterday morning by Patrolman C. G. Jones on a warrant charging him with reckless driving. He will probably be given hearing in the Recorder's court this morning.

—Rev. Mr. VonMiller, of Colorado, who is spending some time in Wilmington, will conduct the prayer meeting at Brooklyn Baptist Church tonight. He was recently heard at this church with much interest and will doubtless be greeted by a large congregation tonight. The service begins promptly at 8 o'clock.

—The fireman had a good run for nothing about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. A pot on a stove in a cook shop across the street from the City Livery Company turned over and some one turned in the fire alarm. Many thought the City Livery stables on fire and a large crowd quickly gathered.

—The local police have been notified of the escape from the Craven county chain gang of Charley Spencer, colored. He was thought to be on the excursion train from Newbern to Wilmington arriving here early yesterday morning, but officers who met the train failed to find him among the number of passengers. Spencer is said to be a one-legged negro, his right leg being cut off below the knee.

AMERICANS WILL NOT CONTEST.

For International Lawn Tennis Trophy in Australia.

New York, Sept. 6.—No American team will be sent to Australia this year to play the holders of the Davis cup for the famous international lawn tennis trophy. This announcement was made tonight by R. D. Wrenn, vice president of the American Lawn Tennis Association, who said that the decision had just been reached owing to the inability of T. C. Bundy, the California tennis star, to make the trip to the Antipodes.

It had been planned to have Bundy and M. E. McLoughlin, another brilliant player, and also a Californian, represent America in the contest with the Australians for the Davis cup in case America won the preliminaries with the English challenging team, which were to be played here. Bundy, however, today telegraphed that he found that his business engagements would not admit of his taking the trip to Australia.

There being no possibility of an American team entering the lists to play the Australians, the proposed preliminary matches with an English team, which were to be played here to decide whether England or America should send the challenging team, also was necessarily abandoned. The British and Australian tennis officials have been notified.

Managua, Nicaragua, Sept. 6.—Juan Estrada, provisional President, has issued a statement in which he announces that the political prisoners throughout the republic have been liberated, says that the freedom of the press will be respected and invites foreign, especially American investments. His only ambition, the general says, is to see his countrymen and foreigners in Nicaragua peacefully devoted to the development of the republic's resurces.

The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper, of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free. It's positively guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

MATTERS BEFORE ALDERMEN

Lengthy Session Last Night of the City Solons—Down-Town Fire Station Discussed—Three Near-Beer Licnses.

The Board of Aldermen in postponed regular monthly session at the City Hall last night for two hours and a half discussed a large number of matters, but took action on very few; granted three near-beer licenses and refused two restaurant licenses, and heard again after a long silence charges by Alderman Fales that there are any number of near-beer places operating in Wilmington without license.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 o'clock by Mayor MacRae, who presided. All members were present except Alderman Rehder, who came in later. In the absence of City Clerk and Treasurer Fowler, who has not quite recovered from a recent indisposition, a record of the proceedings was kept by Col. C. H. White, Assistant City Clerk and Treasurer. Owing to the excessive heat the Aldermen shed their coats soon after entering the room, otherwise they might not have been able to have withstood a two and a half hours session so easily. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting Mayor MacRae called for reports of committees.

Alderman Hall, chairman of the Finance Committee, reported that the only bid for the $100,000 worth of water and sewerage bonds was under par and, therefore, could not be considered. He suggested that it was up to the board to determine what further action should be taken, but personally he felt that it would not be wise to place the bonds on the market again until there is some improvement in the bond market, which is probably worse now than when proposals were first invited some weeks ago. A motion of Alderman Yopp, seconded by Alderman West, that bids be advertised for again immediately was lost, after which Alderman Hall stated that it seemed to him that if the Water and Sewerage Commission desired to go ahead with the sewer work that some arrangements could be made by which a sufficient amount could be borrowed until the bonds are floated.

Alderman Bonitz, chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee, reported the purchase of three horses and a street sprinkler. One of the horses had been named "Fred" and the other "Walter," and the Alderman stated that he would be pleased to name the third horse in honor of another member of the board if any member desired the honor. Alderman Bonitz stated that a request had been made for the opening of Sixth street from Wright to the city limits. Upon motion the city attorney was instructed to draft a paper declaring all streets on the official map of the city to be open. The aldermen granted Mr. Bonitz an appropriation of $250 for putting in good condition the drain on Third, between Princess and Chesnut streets.

Under the head of sanitary, Chairman S. J. Ellis stated that a number of drains were badly filled during the recent rains and that his three men had been removing the obstructions as rapidly as possible. Alderman Stone said as so much had been said recently relative to the sanitary condition of the city he would like to see the board go on record as favoring an appropriation of $10,000 to fill up Macomber's ditch, which he said was a menace to public health. He put his recommendation in the form of a motion. He was informed by Alderman Hinton that the Street Commission had up a plan by which the ditch would be filled and desired improvements made in that vicinity provided the Aldermen would declare 14th street, from Castle to Rankin, open. Alderman Stone withdrew his motion, and a resolution was adopted declaring 14th from Castle to Rankin streets open and instructing the city engineer to grade same and give the Street Commission the levels.

An appropriation of $25 was made at the request of Alderman Yopp, chairman of the Building Committee, for repainting the interior of the room occupied by the health department. Upon motion the clerk was directed to write the Water and Sewerage Commission a communication instructing that body not to charge Mr. S. A. Schloss, lessee of the opera house, for a hydrant that is maintained at the building for fire protection. An ordinance, offered by Alderman West, making it unlawful to throw thrash of any kind around any public water fountain or pump in the city or to tamper with the pumps, was adopted, but an ordinance offered by Alderman Willard prohibiting the use of closets in the city except those which conform to the requirements of the city superintendent of health went over until the next meeting upon objection of Alderman Yopp. This ordinance was designed to take the place of one adopted some weeks ago which was not concurred in by the Board of Audit and Finance. Alderman Hinton called attention to the fact that the ordinance recently adopted relative to the sale of newspaperes on the streets was not being enforced and he requested the Mayor to ask the chief of police to begin at once the enforcement of the law. Alderman Rehder asked that the automobile law also be enforced. Some one else suggested that there were many other ordinances that were not being enforced. Alderman West stated that the ordinances should be sent over to the Police and Fire Commission so that body would know what was expected of the officers of the police force. Alderman Fales replied that the Police and Fire Commission had explained that that body had nothing to do with the execution of the laws of the city.

City Attorney McClammy stated that he had been informed that the contractors for the construction work in connection with the extensive improvements of the city waterworks system had put the streets back in good repair and desired the $8,250 that had been held up by the city. He also referred to the fact that notice had been given that suit would be brought for injuries received by a person in falling over one of the pipes in the streets. Alderman Bonitz stated that the streets had not been put in condition satisfactory to the chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee. It seemed to be the sense of the board that the remainder of the money due the contractors not be paid at this time.

Upon motion of Alderman Willard the Water and Sewerage Committee was authorized to use the unexpended portion of a recent appropriation for deep wells for wells at Front and Queen and at Fifth and Campbell streets.

Hopelessly Divided.

The board is apparently hopelessly divided in the matter of providing for a down town fire station or erection of a new building at corner of Fourth and Princess streets to take the place of the present unsightly and dangerous fire station. The matter was brought up by Alderman Stone, who favors the purchase of the Mills stables property, on Second, between Princess and Chesnut streets, for a downtown fire station. The property can be purchased for $15,000 and he estimated that an expenditure of $3,600 will make the desired changes and improvements so as to answer the purposes of the firemen. He reported that the MacMillan property across the street could be purchased for $200 a front foot. He did not think it advisable to purchase the vacant MacMillan lot as the real estate alone would cost about $10,000. Alderman Yopp reminded the board of the fact that some months ago plans and estimates were secured for a handsome and modern fire house on the city's property at Fourth and Princess streets and that a building could be erected there for $15,000 or $18,000 that would not only be ample for the fire department but would afford a place for the keep of the city teams and greatly improve the appearance of that section of the city. He made the point that to remove the fire station the property at Fourth and Princess would be idle as it was not a proper place for a residence or a store building. Alderman Stone stated that he would give $5,000 for the property at Fourth and Princess streets. Chief Schnibben, of the Fire department, was present and was asked to make a statement. He said that it was imperative that something be done toward providing quarters for the firemen who are stationed at Fourth and Princess as the present building is unsafe and it is a waste of money to make repairs. He favored a down town fire station and preferred that a building be erected especially for the firemen, but stated that the Mills building could be remodelled so as to answer the purpose. Alderman Hinton moved that the board appropriate $10,000 for the purchase of 50 front feet of the MacMillan property, seconded by Alderman West. Alderman Yopp moved as a substitute that the city appropriate $15,000 for the erection of a new building at Fourth and Princess. Alderman Hall explained to the board that he would not vote for any appropriation for the Police and Fire Commission because if that body desired anything it would not be necessary to ask the aid of the Aldermen; the appropriations of the commission were sent to the Board of Audit and Finance and not to the Aldermen. Both the substitute of Alderman Yopp and the original motion of Alderman Hinton were lost by a majority vote.

Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Company, was before the board relative to a communication from the Aldermen requesting that the company provide a waiting room with all conveniences for ladies and children in its new quarters in the Woolvin building. Mr. Skelding explained at length and to the satisfaction of a majority of the members of the board that it would be impracticable to comply with the request of the board. He stated, however, there would be a place in the building that could be used as a waiting room. He suggested that the company be permitted to erect a cover over the side walk from the I. Shrier corner to the junction restaurant, a distance of about 90 feet, which would afford protection from both sun and rain for the people while waiting for cars. Upon motion of Alderman West, seconded by Alderman Ellis, the company was given permission to erect the shed over the sidewalk with the consent of the property owners.

A letter from Meares & Ruark relative to alleged damage to the property of Mrs. S. K. Allen at corner of Sixth and Nun streets on account of change of grade and stating that unless a retaining wall was constructed by the city suit would be entered, was referred to the Streets and Wharves Committee.

Two applications for restaurant license were refused as follows: Maggie Lord, on Princess, between 11th and 12th streets; John Williams, No. 110 North Water street. A. W. Murrell was granted near-beer license to conduct business at 17 Market street and H. E. Truelove & Co., to do business at 311 North Front street. J. S. Wynn was granted licenes to do a wholesale near-beer business at Water and Princess streets. In this connection Alderman Bonitz inquired if the chief of police was making inspections of the near-beer places as required by the near-beer ordinance. The only answer he received was from Alderman Fales, who said he was on the eve of making the same inquiry. A communication was read from Mr. F. Herbst protesting against the blocking of Princess street, near Front, by the Tidewater Power Company, stating that at times all three tracks were occupied by cars at the same time, leaving no room for vehicles and automobiles to pass. Upon motion the clerk was instructed to forward the communication to the Tidewater Power Company with the request that the conditions complained of be remedied.

There is an ordinance that makes an Alderman subject to a fine of $4 for each meeting he fails to attend unless excused. There have been many absentees during the Summer months, and the list was read by the clerk. Upon motion of Alderman West, who has not been absent at all, the operation of the ordinance during the Summer was suspended and the Aldermen will be allowed to draw full pay for the quarter.

A communication was read from the Board of Health recommending the adoption of an ordinance requiring all markets and stores to screen food stuff offered for sale. Upon motion the city attorney was instructed to draft an ordinance covering the matter. Alderman Fales said that he did not see any use of passing any more ordinances as those now on the books are not enforced.

For the first time since his appearance before the Police and Fire Commission some weeks ago, Alderman Fales referred to the alleged violations of the near-beer ordinance. He charged that the city was furnishing carts to go to the back lots of unlicensed near-beer places and remove empty beer and whisky bottles. He said that near-beer was being sold by many places that had no license, and no effort was made to put a stop to it. Mayor MacRae stated that the Alderman had made similar charges before, but did not produce the evidence, or words to that effect, and that he (the Mayor) had called his bluff. "Now," Mr. Fales," said the Mayor, "if you will come here tomorrow and give me the information you say you have I will swear out warrants for the persons violating the law." Alderman Fales replied that the Mayor had had information, but had not acted. The Mayor said he had acted; that any number of warrants had been sworn out. Alderman Fales then mentioned a person that stated to the Mayor some time ago that he had evidence against a number of persons violating the prohibition law in Wilmington, yet the evidence was not used.

"No. He wanted money; he wanted to sell his evidence, and I want to state right here that I will not pay money for such evidence," stated the Mayor spiritedly. Continuing the Mayor said that some $2,000 belonging to citizens of the city had been spent to run down violators of the prohibition law, but intimated that it would

At the request of Alderman West the chairman of the Light Committee was instructed to place a light on the south side of Hanover at Seventh street and one on the north side of Hanover at Ninth street.

Alderman Bonitz said that a number of citizens who use the surburban line had complained about the location of the women of the underworld so near the car line and had suggested that they be required to remove to some less conspicuous section of the city. He also stated that he had been informed that real estate agents and property owners were forcing these women to pay from $40 to $50 for cheap houses that would not ordinarily rent for more than $5 or $6 a month, and he thought that the Aldermen should take some action; that the property owners should not be permitted to charge such exorbitant prices just because the occupants were helpless in the matter of making a protest. Alderman Hall called attention to the State law as well as a city ordinance making it unlawful for property owners to rent a building to a denizen of the underworld. Alderman Bonitz suggested that the chief of police make an investigation and ascertain whether or not the report is true that an excessive rental is charged for the houses. No action was taken.

Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared before the board for his client, Mr. Reville, and protested against the dumping of trash and carcases on property on the extension of Second street, within 165 feet of Mr. Reville's house. Alderman Willard moved that Alderman Bonitz instruct the superintendents of streets to stop dumping the trash in that section. The motion received a second but was voted down. The matter of disposing of city refuse and trash was discussed at some length, but there was no action.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 6.—The Photographers' Association of Virginia and the Carolinas met here today in annual convention, with about one hundred delegates present. President Black, of Tazewell, Va., is directing proceedings. The session will last about four days.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

DECLINE IN COTTON MARKET

Increased Southern Spot Offerings Inducement to Sellers—Demand Around Opening Figures—75 Points Lower.

New York, Sept. 6.—There was a big decline in the cotton market with sellers showing more confidence owing to reports of increased Southern spot offerings and the absence of bull support. Last prices were steady, but only a little up from the lowest on covering and at a net loss of 36 to 41 points for the day. The market opened steady at a decline of 7 to 19 points in response to a lower Liverpool market over the holidays and reports of rain in the Southwest.

There seemed to be quite a good deal of demand around the opening figures, but after a few minutes of hesitation the market weakened and during the balance of the day worked steadily lower except for a brief rally of 5 or 6 points during the noon hour. Stop loss orders were uncovered in a scale down and while there semed to be buying of a better character at the 13 cent level, the market broke below that figure during the last hour when October cotton sold at 12.95, or 43 points net lower. September broke to a net loss of 49 points and later postions showed declines of from 38 to 39 points from the closing figures of last Friday. The official reports showing declines of from 1-8 to nearly a cent in Southern spot markets, helped the late break as tending to confirm private reports of increased offers for prompt shipment and a slack demand from mills. The old crop bulls bought September on the decline, but gave the market no aggressive support. The decline was probably encouraged by the rains reported in the drought sections of the Southwest and a private crop report suggesting a bumper yield in all States except Texas, but the dominating factor of the day appeared to be a feeling that trade demand would not be sufficient to absorb the early movement above the 13 cent level rather than any particular change of views as to the size of the crop.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today 19,000 bales against 21,200 last week and 35,741 last year; for the week 125,000 bales against 85,985 last week and 151,822 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 62 bales against 553 last year and at Houston 10,597 bales against 4,946 last year.

Cotton spot closed quiet 75 points lower; middling uplands 14.25; middling gulf 14.50; sales 16,740 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	13.70	13.73	12.97	12.95
Oct.	13.25	13.28	12.97	12.97
Nov.	13.24	13.24	13.00	12.97
Dec.	13.19	13.26	12.96	12.97
Jan.	13.20	13.23	12.93	12.95
Feb.				12.90
March	13.30	13.33	13.02	13.04
May	13.38	13.38	13.08	13.10
June				13.09
July	13.27		13.16	13.07

Port Movement.

Galveston—Quiet; middling 13 5-8; net receipts 18,208; gross receipts 18,208; sales 2,950; stock 36,532; coastwise 4,086.

New Orleans—Easy; middling 13 3-4; net receipts 62; gross receipts 62; sales 314; stock 16,062; Gt. Britain 1,200.

Mobile—Steady; middling 13 1-2; net receipts 198; gross receipts 208; sales 150; stock 1,124; coastwise 10.

Savannah—Quiet; middling 13 7-8; net receipts 748; gross receipts 751; sales 6,337; stock 8,643; coastwise 1,664.

Charleston—Quiet; middling 14; net receipts 1; gross receipts 1; stock 268.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts 7; gross receipts 7; stock 95.

Norfolk—Quiet; middling 13 3-4; net receipts 6; gross receipts 75; stock 304; coastwise 28.

Baltimore—Nominal; gross receipts 25; stock 311.

New York—Quiet; middling 14.25; gross receipts 3,069; sales 16,740; stock 123,747; coastwise 5,434.

Boston—Quiet; middling 1,425; stock 2,382.

Philadelphia—Steady; middling 14.50; stock 445.

Total today, at all ports—Net 19,230; Gt. Britain 1,200; stock, 191,603.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net 45,558; Gt. Britain 29,731; France 125; Continent 36,327; Japan 100.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net 73,531; Gt. Britain 29,732; France 218; Continent 36,472; Japan 100.

Interior Movement.

Houston (2 days)—Steady; middling 13 3-8; net receipts 10,607; gross receipts 10,607; shipments 7,174; sales 11,256; stock 33,316.

Augusta (2 days)—Quiet; middling 13 9-16; net receipts 308; gross receipts 333; shipments 114; sales 59; stock 730.

Memphis—Quiet; middling 14 1-4; net receipts 5; gross receipts 70; shipments 168; sales 25; stock 4,661.

St. Louis (2 days)—Quiet; middling 14 1-4; gross receipts 25; shipments 25; stock 513.

Cincinnati (2 days)—Net receipts 114; gross receipts 114; tock 6,743.

Little Rock—Quiet; middling 13 7-8; net receipts 10; gross receipts 10; shipments 12; stock 2,237.

Louisville—Firm; middling 15 1-2.

Tota ltoday—Net receipts 11,044; gross receipts 11,150; shipments 7,493; sales 11,340; stock 48,260.

COTTON MARKET YESTERDAY.

Rain Fall in Texas Caused Liverpool to Decline—Conditions.

(Special Star elegram.)

New York, Sept. 6.—Rains fell in Northern and Western Texas yesterday with light showers in the central portion of the State. On receipt of these reports Liverpool declined yesterday and our market opened lower and slowly declining, closed at about 40 points lower on the near, 35 points lower on the distant deliveries. The decline brought heavy selling orders in October which were thought to represent hedge selling against cotton which has been held for some time past on the expectation that the light reports would bring a high market in September. We think spinners' brokers bought on the basis of 13 cents, but in the absence of any short interest or investment buying the market gradually fell to the lower prices. It is expected that spinners will buy on any further break, as their supply is reduced to a very low point outside buying for a long investment which has been such a factor in supporting and advancing prices for the past two years is absent.

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Spanish, firm at $1.35 per bushel; Virginias, firm at 4 to 4 3-4c. for Jumbo; 2 1-2 to 3 3-4c. for fancy hand picked; 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 c. for machine picked; 2 to 2 1-2c. for shelling stock.

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Schooners.

Massachusetts, 4... tons, Colerdale, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 5th and 6th.

C. C. Railroad—Barrels tar, 10; barrels crude turpentine 2.

W. & W. Railroad—Bales cotton 2; barrels rosin 7; barrels crude turpentine 5.

W. C. & A. Railroad—Bales cotton 5; casks spirits turpentine 4; barrels rosin 14; barrels tar 24; barrels crude turpentine 19.

A. & Y. Railroad—Casks spirits turpentine 6; barrels tar 39; barrels crude turpentine 2.

W. & N. Railroad—Barrels crude turpentine 19.

Str. Lyon—Casks spirits turpentine 13; barrels rosin 42.

Total—Bales cotton 7; casks spirits turpentine 20; barrels rosin 63; barrels tar 73; barrels crude turpentine 47.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Sept. 6.—Flour quiet and lower to effect sales.

Rye Flour and Barley—Steady.

Corn Meal—Easy.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Weak; No. 2 red 1.05 1-4 elevator and 1.05 1-2 f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth 1.22 f.o.b. to arrive. Options closed 1 3-4c decline; September 1.05 3-8; December 1.08 7-8; May 1.13 3-4.

Corn—Weak; No. 2 new 64 3-4 elevator domestic basis; options closed 1-2 to 3-4c net lower. September 65 1-4; December 65 1-4.

Beef—Steady.

Butter—Firm; receipts 4,975; creamery specials 32; extras 30 1-2 to 31; third to first 24 1-2 to 29 1-2; State dairy common to finest 22 1-2 to 29; process second to special 22 1-2 to 27; factory June make 23 1-2 to 24; do current make 22 to 23; imitation creamery 24 to 25.

Cheese—Lower and unsettled; receipts 1,319; State, whole milk specials 15 1-2 to 17; do average fancy 15; do choice 14 3-4; do good to prime 14 to 14 1-2; do common to fair 10 1-2 to 13 3-4; full skims to special 2 1-2 to 12 1-2.

Eggs—Steady to firm; receipts 11,180; State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white 29 to 34; do gathered white 26 to 30; do hennery brown 28 to 30; do gathered brown 25 to 28; fresh gathered extra first 24 1-2 to 25 1-2; first 22 1-2 to 23 1-2; seconds 21 to 22.

Lard and Tallow—Firm.

Petroleum and Wool—Quiet.

Rice and Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw dull. Refined—Steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady at a net advance of 5 to 10 points. Spot firm; No. 7 Rio 10 1-4; Santos No. 4, 10 7-8. Mild—Steady; Cordova 10 1-2 to 13.

Potatoes—Weak; Maine per bag 1.00 to 1.50; State in bulk per 180 lbs. 1.50 to 1.70; Long Island, per barrel 1.50 to 2.00; Jersey 1.50 to 1.85; Southern sweets per barrel 1.00 to 1.75; Jersey sweets 2.25 to 2.75.

Cabbages—Quiet 4.00 to 6.00 per 100.

Freights—Quiet; Cotton to Liverpool per 100 lbs. 20 to 25; grain to Liverpool 1 1-2d; grain to London 1d.

Peanuts—Quiet; fancy handpicked Virginia 5 1-4 to 5 1-2; Virginia shelled Nos. 1 and 2, 4 to 6 3-4.

Cotton Seed Oil—Lower under scattered liquidation and bear pressure induced by the decline in cotton and easier crude markets. Closing prices were 2 to 20 points off from Friday. Sales 11,500 barrels; September 10 9? to 10.33; October 8.82 to 8.84; November 7.57 to 7.59; December 7.29 to 7.30; January 7.27 to 7.28; prime crude October 6.67 nominal; prime summer yellow 10.30 to 11.50; prime winter yellow 11.00 to 15.00; prime summer white 11.00 to 15.00.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady 70 cents.

ROSIN—Market steady $3.25 per barrel, of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market firm $2.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm $4.00 per barrel for hard; $5.50 for dip and $6.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 44c; rosin firm $2.55; tar steady $1.60; crude turpentine firm $1.75, $2.75 and $3.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	20
Rosin	63
Tar	73
Crude turpentine	47

Receipts same day last year 35 casks spirits turpentine; 92 barrels rosin; 82 barrels tar; 84 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market nominal. Quotations corresponding day last year nominal.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today 7 bales, same day last year 3,156 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 3.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel.

CORN—Firm 85 to 90 per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams 20; shoulders 16 cents, and side 17c.

EGGS—Good demand 25 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 15 and 30; grown 40, scarce.

BEESEWAX—Firm 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 6 to 70 cents per bushel.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound.

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—Out of Season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—Out of Season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 40 to 50c per bushel, dull.

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DEALINGS ON STOCK MARKET

Professional Trading Element Ruled Yesterday—Depression of Prices Explained—The General Conditions.

New York, Sept. 6.—The professional trading element had the stock market almost to themselves today. Their operations largely congested in United States Steel, Reading and Union Pacific. The most obvious motive for the depression of prices was the lack of any positive influence towards an advance. One or two factors were given an unfavorable interpretation. The restless spirit of the political discussion came in for a large share of attention. The progress of the State election in Vermont and a desire to know its result entered into the political influences on the market and kept down the dealings.

The weekly bank statement which appeared on Saturday during the three days' recess of the stock exchange disclosed more rapid depletion of cash reserves than had been anticipated from the preliminary estimates. The cut in the actual surplus to $31,858,250 gave notice of a rate of reduction of available bank credits which would demand serious consideration, if continued at that rate for any length of time. Inquiry developed that special causes might be assigned for the severe decline in cash holdings. The interior banks evidently had been preparing themselves for the comptroller's call for reports. With September 1st fixed as the date for reports some relaxation in the demand is looked for.

Crop advices were favorable. The reported break in the drouth in Texas was heralded as a possible promise of material betterment of cotton prospects in that State which is chiefly responsible for the deficiency in the percentage of condition of the crop as a whole. Crop conditions had their sole reflection in the commodities markets and left stocks unaffected.

More attention was paid to the reports of heavy curtailment by New England cotton mills, marking the extension of a policy already adopted to an unusual extent. The returns of railroad earnings for July showed further the July growth of operating expenses and pointed to the necessity of curtailment of outlay in that direction also. The effect of this was seen especially in the heaviness of United States Steel, owing to the large proportion of iron and steel product embraced in the materials needed by the railroads.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $1,156,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day 279,600 shares, including: Sugar 2,200; Tobacco 100; A. C. L. 600; C. & O. 1,500; L. & N. 800; N. & W. 700; Reading 54,900; Sloss-Sheffield 100; Southern Railway 400; U. P. 46, 100; Steel 57,800; V. C. C. 700.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	101
U. S. ref. 2s coupon	101
U. S. 3s, registered	101 3-4
U. S. 3s coupon	101 3-4
U. S. 4s, registered	115
U. S. 4s, coupon	115
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	76
American Agricultural 5s	100 7-8
American Tel. & Tel. cv. 4s	100 1-2
American Tobacco 4s	79 1-8
American Tobacco 6s	105 3-4
Armour & Co., 4 1-2s	92 3-4
Atchison gen. 4s	98 3-8
Atchison cv. 4s	106 1-2
Atchison cv. 5s	109 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	93 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 5-8
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	92 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	98 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	82
Central of Georgia 5s	105 1-2
Central Leather 5s	98 1-2
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	121 3-8
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	100 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 4 1-2s	91 7-8
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	67 1-2
Chicago, B. & Quincy joint 4s	95 5-8
Chicago, B. & Quincy gen. 4s	98
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. gen. 4s	92
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. R. R. col. 4s	72 1-8
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. F. R. col. 5s	72 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. rfg 4s	88 3-4
Colorado Industrial 5s	74
Colorado Midland 4s	69
Colorado & So. ref. & ext. 4 1-2	96
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	97 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	94
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	91
Distillers 5s	69 1-2
Erie prior lien 4s	82 1-8
Erie gen 4s	71 1-2
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	75
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	65
General Electric cv. 5s	135
Illinois Central 1st fiser ..6 ..6 ..6	..6
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	96
Interborough-Met. 4 1-2s	79 1-4
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	62 1-2
Japan 4s	88 1-2
Japan 4 1-2s	94 1-8
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72 1-4
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	97 3-4
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 1-2
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	84 3-4
Missouri Pacific 4s	77
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	95 1-2
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	88 1-4
New York Central deb. 4s	94 1-2
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	132 3-4
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	98
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	90
Northern Pacific 4s	100 1-2
Northern Pacific 3s	71
Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s	92
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 7-8
Penn. con. 4s	102
Reading gen. 4s	97 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. fg. 4s	85 5-8
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	86 5-8
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	73
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	88 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s	70
Southern Pacific col. 4s	90
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	97 3-8
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	93 3-4
Southern Railway 5s	105 1-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	73 3-4
Union Pacific 4s	101
Union Pacific cv. 4s	104 3-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	95 3-4
U. S. Rubber 6s	102
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	108 5-8
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	99 3-8
Wabash 1st 5s	107 3-4
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	82 3-4
Western Md. 4s	83 3-4
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	88 1-2
Wisconsin Central 4s	92 3-8
Missouri Pacific cv. 5s	93

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd.	31
Amalgamated Copper	65 3-4
American Agricultural	42 1-2
American Beet Sugar	35 1-4
American Can	8 1-8
American Car & Foundry	46 1-4
American Cotton Oil	62
American Hide & Leather pfd.	31 1-2
American Ice Securities	19 1-4
American Linseed	10 1-2
American Locomotive	34
American Smelting & Refing	66 1-2
Amer. Smelting & Refining pfd.	103 1-2
Am. Steel Foundries	43
American Sugar Refining	116 1-2
American Tel. & Tel	134 1-2
American Tobacco, pfd.	92 1-2
American Woolen	27
Anaconda Mining Co.	39
Atchison	96 3-4
Atchison pfd.	99 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	108
Baltimore & Ohio	101 1-8
Bethlehem Steel	26 1-2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73 3-4
Canadian Pacific	188 1-4
Central Leather	33 3-4
Central Leather pfd.	105 1-2
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake & Ohio	72 1-4
Chicago & Alton	28 7-8
Chicago Great Western	22 1-2
Chicago Great Western pfd.	45
Chicago & North Western	143
Chicago, Mil. & St. aPul	117 3-4
C., C., C. & St. Louis	70
Colorado Fuel & Iron	28
Colorado & Southern	32
Consolidated Gas	128
Corn Products	13 3-4
Delaware & Hudson	163
Denver & Rio Grande	29 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	70
Distillers' Securities	27 1-8
Erie	24 3-4
Erie 1st pfd.	41 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd.	33
General Electric	140 3-4
Great Northern pfd.	128 1-2
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	53
Illinois Central	129
Interborough-Met.	18 1-2
Interborough-Met. pfd.	49 3-4
Inter Harvester	93 3-4
Inter-Marine pfd.	15 3-8
International Paper	10 1-2
International Pump	38 3-4
Iowa Central	16 1-2
Kansas City Southern	28
Kansas City Southern pfd.	62 1-2
Laclede Gas	90
Louisville & Nashville	140 1-4
Minneapolis & St. Louis	22 1-2
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	127 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	31
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd.	61 1-4
Missouri Pacific	52 1-2
National Biscuit	112
National Lead	50 3-4
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd.	30 7-8
New York Centralia	110
New York, Ontario & Western	39 1-8
Norfolk & Western	90
North American	67
Northern Pacific	143
Pacific Mail	25 1-2
Pennsylvania	127 1-8
People's Gas	106
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	94
Pittsburg Coal	15
Pressed Steel Car	33
Pullman Palace Car	158
Railway Steel Spring	31
Reading	138
Republic Steel	29 1-4
Republic Steel pfd.	94
Rock Island Co.	29
Rock Island Co. pfd.	62
St. Louis & San Fran. 2d pfd.	49
St. Louis Southwestern	24
St. Louis Southwestern pfd.	56
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	55
Southern Pacific	111 7-8
Southern Railway	22 3-8
Southern Railway pfd.	50
Tennessee Copper	25 5-8
Texas & Pacific	24 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West.	22 1-2
Toledo, St. Louis & West. pfd.	48 1-2
Union Pacific	163 3-4
Union Pacific pfd.	91 1-2
United States Realty	70
United States Rubber	33 3-4
United States Steel	87 1-2
United States Steel pfd.	115 1-2
Utah Copper	45 3-4
Virginia Carolina Chemical	57
Wabash	16 3-4
Wabash pfd.	34 3-4
Western Maryland	42
Westinghouse Electric	57 1-2
Western Union	82
Wheeling & Lake Erie	4 1-2

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Heavy selling of wheat by Danubian countries at much lower prices than America offered made export business here impossible today and had considerable effect in bringing about a net decline of 1 3-8 to 1 7-8 to 2. Corn and oat suffered likewise, the former finishing 1 3-8 to 1-2 to 2 1-8 under the previous close and the latter 5-8 to 1 1-8. Latest quotations for hog products were 7 1-2 to 10 down to 5 up.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Cash close: Wheat No. 2 red 97 1-2 to 100 1-2; No. 3 red 96 1-2 to 99; durum 80 to 95 1-2; No. 2 hard 99 1-8 to 100 1-2; No. 3 hard 96 1-2 to 99; No. 1 Northern 114 to 118; No. 2 Northern 112 to 117; No. 3 Northern 108 to 117; No. 2 spring 100 to 106; No. 3 Spring 99 to 106; velvet chaff 98 to 101.

Corn, No. 2, 57 1-2 to 58; No. 2 white 58 to 58 3-4; No. 2 yellow 57 3-4 to 58 1-2; No. 3, 56 to 57 1-2; No. 3 white 57 1-2 to 58 1-4; No. 3 yellow 57 1-2 to 58 1-4; No. 4, 55 1-2 to 57; No. 4 white 56 to 57 1-2; No. 4 yellow 56 to 57 1-2.

Oats, No. 2, 31; No. 2 white 34 to 34 1-2; No. 3, 30 1-2; No. 3 white 33 to 34; No. 4 white 32 1-2 to 33; standard 34 to 34 1-2.

Wheat—				
Sept.	99	99½	97⅝	97⅞
Dec.	1 03⅝	1 03⅝	1 01⅝	1 01⅝
May	1 08⅝	1 08⅝	1 06¼	1 06⅝
Corn—				
Sept.	58⅝	58⅝	57¼	57¼
Dec.	57⅝	57⅝	55½	55⅝
May	59⅝	59⅝	58⅝	58¾
Oats—				
Sept.	33¾	33¾	33¼	33½
Dec.	30½	30½	29½	29⅝
May	34½	34½	33½	33½
Mess Pork, per bbl.				
Oct.	20 67	20 80	20 57	20 57
Jan.	18 70	18 90	18 70	18 70
Lard, per 100 lbs.				
Sept.	12 30	12 32	12 25	12 25
Oct.	12 30	13 35	12 25	12 27
Nov.	11 75	11 80	11 70	11 70
Jan.	10 80	10.85	10.75	10.77
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.				
Sept.	12 15	12 17	12 05	12 05
Oct.	11 90	12 02	11 85	11 85
Jan.	9 85	9 95	9 80	9 80

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot in Fair Demand, Prices Steady. Futures and Sales.

Liverpool, Sept. 6.—Spot cotton in fair demand, prices steady. American middling fair 8.41; good middling 8.09; middling 7.93; low middling 7.77; good ordinary 7.51; ordinary 7.26. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 9,500 American. Receipts 15,000 bales, including 7,700 American.

Futures opened easier and closed irregular. September 7.60; September and October 7.13 1-2; October and November 7.00; November and December 6.93 1-2; December and January 6.91; January and February 6.91; February and March 6.91; March and April 6.91; April and May 6.91; May and June 6.91.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Sept. 6.—Prices were named on dress ginghams during the day by a prominent manufacturing company on a basis of 8c. for utilities and 9 3-4c for A. F. C's. The cotton goods market is somewhat softer in the gray goods division, but a better demand for finishing goods is coming from the middle Western cities. Men's wear is in slightly improved demand and the settlement of the cloakmaker's strike is improving the demand for dress goods. Export trade is quiet. Yarns are quiet and firm.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 6.—Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate 1 3-4, closing bid 1 3-4; offered at 2. Time loans very dull and firm; 60 days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent., and 90 days 4 1-4 to 4 1-2 per cent., six months 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8315 to 4.8330 for 60 day bills and at 4.8630 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 12 to 4.83. Bar silver 52 7-8. Mexican dollars 44.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Sept. 6.—Rosin and turpentine quiet.

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 6.—Spirits turpentine firm, 70; sales 966; receipts 654; shipments 805; stocks 14,665.

Rosin firm; sales 2,356; receipts 1,656; shipments 2,912; stocks 64,277. Quote: B, 5.82 1-2; D, 5.95; E, 6.00; F, 6.07 1-2 to 6.10; G, 6.07 1-2 to 6.15; H, 6.20; I, 6.47 1-2 to 6.25; K, 6.25; M, 6.30 to 6.50; N, 6.45 to 6.75 W. G. 6.50; WW, 6.55 to 6.75.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 6.—Turpentine firm 77.

Rosin firm. Quote: ABC, 5.85; D, 5.95; E, 6.05; F, 6.12 1-2; G, 6.15; H, 6.20; I, 6.25; K, 6.25; M, 6.30; N, 6.45; WG, 6.50; WW, 6.55.

Car Load of Rye

either for seed or feed, just arrived, and for sale by

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1 Maxwell Runabout $300
1 Doctor Maxwell $400
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All Ready to Demonstrate.

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You don't have to draw on your Bank Account when you pay on the Penny Plan.

You need not disturb your Dollrs. Keep them at work earning interest!

We offer our newest model, the Oliver Typewriter No. 5—fresh from the factory—for Seventeen Cents a Day.

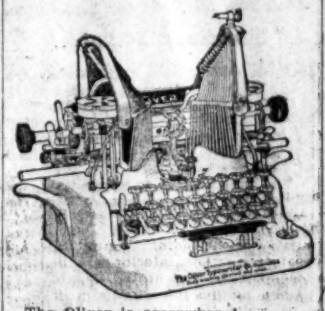
The plan is printed in "black and white" on the Application Blank below.

Simply fill out the blank, attach the small first payment, send it in, and on comes the Oliver!

No tedious wait! No red tape! No long drawn-out correspondence!

You quickly own your Oliver and scarcely notice the outlay. You can have the use of your machine while pennies are "paying the freight."

You will never have a better chance to test the power of pennies.



The Oliver is everywhere!

It's the universal typewriter. Reels off real work with the ease and speed demanded by this mile-a-minute age. Wherever you turn—in Business in Offices, great or small—in the quiet of the Home—in the roar of the Railroad and Telegraph service—in the seething maelstrom of modern Newspaperdom—in countless kinds of service—it's the sturdy, strenuous Oliver that's "making the wheels go round."

The OLIVER Typewriter

The Standard Visible Writer.

You need your Oliver now. It's yours almost for the asking. The biggest hundred dollars' worth in America—for Seventeen Cents a Day!

Send along the Application Blank, with a small first payment of $15 as an evidence of good faith.

Your check is good—or send draft, postoffice of express money order.

THE OLIVER TYPEWRITER CO.
The Oliver Typewriter Bldg.
Chicago, Illinois.

APPLICATION BLANK.

THE OLIVER TYPEWRITER CO.

Gentlemen:—I accept your offer of the latest model No. 5 Oliver Standard Typewriter for Seventeen Cents a Day. Enclosed please find $15 as evidence of good faith. I agree to save 17 cents a day and remit the balance, $85, in monthly installments. Title to remain in your name until the machine is fully paid for.

Name .....

Address .....

Town .....State .....

References .....

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Our Odds and Ends Values

In Misses and Children's Oxfords are very attractive to those who want low shoes to finish the season with.

MISSES' AND CHILDRENS'

One lot patents, tans and vici kid, were $1.50, now 98c
One lot tan Pumps and patent Oxfords, were $2.00, now.....$1.39
One lot patent and tan Oxfords, were $1.75, now $1.19
One lot white Canvas Oxfords, were 75c, now 39c
One lot white canvas Oxfords, were $1.25, now 59c
One lot tan, patent, and gun metal Shuffert, were $1.95, now.....98c

LADIES' OXFORDS.

One lot large Misses' tan Oxfords, were $2.00, now.....$1.39
One lot Ladies' several styles, black, were $2.00, now.....$1.45
One lot several styles, black and tan, were $3.00, now $1.98
One lot patent and gun metal Oxfords, were $3.00, now.....$2.48

MEN'S OXFORDS.

One lot gun metal and patent, were $4.00, now $2.49

Come early, before they are picked out.

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Panama Hats!

Half Price at J. W. H. Fuchs, Head-to-Foot Outfitter.

Stiff Straw Hats half price.
Soft Straw Hats half price.
Trunks one-third off.
Suit Cases and Hand Bags one-third off.
Straw Bags and Straw Suit Cases one-third off.
In our Shoe Department, bargains galore.
The great Anniversary Sale is a success.
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The kind that Mrs. Whitted uses and recommends.

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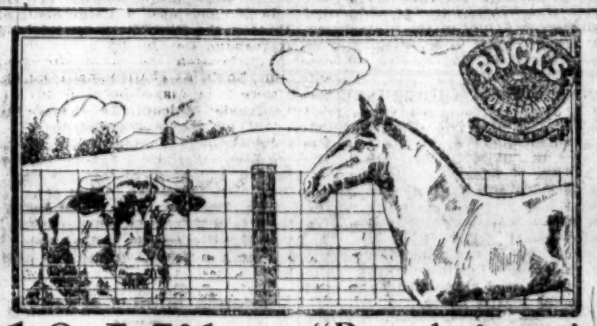

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Foppy, by Cynthia Stockley.
Love the Judge, by Wymond Carey.
Cavanaugh, Forest Ranger, by Hamline Garland.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 7, 1910.

Meteorogical data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Tuesday, Sept. 6th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 77 degrees; 8 P. M. 80 degrees; maximum 92 degrees minimum 77 degrees; mean 83 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, .30 inch.

at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Tuesday, 9.5 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair and continued warm Wednesday and Thursday; light variable winds.

Port Calendar—September 7.

Sun Rises.....5:30 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:30 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 40 min.
High water at Southport 10:43 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 1:43 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ludden & Bates—Opportunity.
S. B. McLean—Notice in Bankruptcy.

Wanted—Trucker.
Lost—Greek Letter Pin.

Business Locals.

Mrs. Wortham—Braids, Etc.
For Rent—Unfurnished Rooms.
F. H. Krahnke—To the Public.
Palace Market Co.—Fresh Meats.
Wanted—Young man for Office Work.

EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS.

Notable Gathering at Montreal—Three Cardinals Present.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 6.—With solemn ceremony the 21st International Eucharistic Congress was opened tonight in St. James' Cathedral in the presence of several hundred archbishops, bishops and priests, representing nearly every Catholic center in civilization. Long before the papal legate, Vincenzo Vannutelli, quit the palace of the Archbishop of Montreal, accompanied by his suite, the streets leading to the cathedral were jammed. Unfortunately, the capacity of the cathedral was miscalculated and hundreds, who could have got in remained away, thinking there would be a terrific crush. As it was, only 3,500 persons assembled and the edifice was not more than half filled, while nearly 5,000 stood patiently at the entrance, under the impression that they were crowded out.

The ceremony opened with the reading of the papal brief appointing Cardinal Vannutelli legate to the Congress. Mgr. Bruchesi, Archbishop of Montreal, then delivered an address of welcome in the name of the hierarchy of Canada and the United States.

The following communication between the legate and King George V. was read:

"To His Majesty, King George V. London.

"The Catholics of the empire, bishops, priests, laity, present at the International Congress in Montreal, pray for your majesty to accept their respectful homage of unswerving loyalty and their expression of profound gratitude for the modification made in the royal declaration. With them the other visiting members of the Congress, hailing from all parts of the world, wish your majesty and the royal family continued happiness and prosperity. (Signed)

"VINCENZO CARDINAL VANNUTELLI."

The King replied:

"His Eminence, Cardinal Vannutelli, Montreal.

"I sincerely thank your eminence and all who are present at the international Eucharistic Congress in Montreal for the expression of loyalty and good wishes contained in the telegram which I have received today with much pleasure and satisfaction. (Signed) "GEORGE V."

Earlier in the night the Congress as a body sent a message to the Pope to which the Pontiff replied through the Papal Secretary of State, Cardinal Merry Del Val.

FARMERS IN CHARLOTTE.

Barrett Delivers Interesting Address Before Delegates.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 6.—The convention of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America opened in this city this morning, with a thousand delegates, representing almost every State in the Union in attendance.

President S. C. Barrett called the convention to order and Mr. E. R. Preston made the address of welcome, which was followed by the address of welcome on behalf of the State Farmers' Union by Dr. J. M. Templeton, of Cary. Mr. B. F. Montgomery, of Colorado, responded to the welcoming addresses on behalf of the visiting farmers.

Following these talks there were addresses by different members of the union on subjects interesting the statesmen of agriculture.

This morning's meeting was the only one that was not executive, as the rest of the three-day meetings will be behind closed doors.

There have been arranged numerous entertainments for the visitors while in the city, and these will be carried out in the leisure hours.

MACON TRAVELER SOUGHT.

Failed to Complete Proof of Citizenship Upon His Return.

New Orleans, Sept. 6.—Stories appearing in yesterday morning's papers commenting on the travels of C. H. Stratton, son of G. W. Stratton, of Macon, who returned here on the United Fruit Company's steamer Heredia last Saturday after a four-year ramble through Central and South America, brought the fact to the attention of immigration authorities that he had left the city without completing proof of his citizenship.

A search is being made for him and on his arrival at home he will probably be met with a warrant.

The United Fruit Company is said to be assisting in the search as they are held responsible for his entry into this country and are liable to a fine of $500.

When Merit Wins.

When the medicine you take cures your disease, tones up your system and makes you feel better, stronger and more vigorous than before. That is what Foley's Kidney Pills do for you, in all cases of backache, headache, nervousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness and general weakness that is caused by any disorder of the kidneys or bladder. Robt. R. Bellamy.

FEDERAL CONTROL URGED BY TEDDY

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cushions into the air and united in a deafening roar of welcome.

The colonel talked to the people for half an hour on good citizenship.

His advice on the subject of good citizenship he summed up thus: "Let each man hold up that particular corner of the Nation that is under his own roof. Let him do that and then let him join in the general uplift of all of us."

Western Governors Give Up.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 6.—If President Taft monopolized the attention of the National Conservation Congress yesterday, he did no more than Roosevelt did today. The auditorium was filled to hear ex-President Roosevelt drive home his policy for the conservation of national resources. The crowd for the most part followed him to the State Fair Grounds, leaving a meagre audience, half of whom were women, to listen to the addresses of the afternoon.

A feature of the day was the abandonment by the Western Governors of their fight for recognition in the convention. Gov. Brooks, of Wyoming, planned to leave tonight as did Gov. Vessey, of South Dakota, and Gov. Norris, of Montana.

Dissatisfaction over the failure to receive recognition at the hands of the Congress as a whole, was evidenced by the executives from the West. Each tried to put forth a cheerful front, but it was an effort which was close to failure. Governor Norris in particular was bitter in his denunciation.

"Why," he said, "we could not break into that meeting now with a burglar's jimmy."

Gov. Norris is a Democrat. It was he who made the "fighting" speech before the Congress yesterday which really brought out the clash with Gov. Stubbs, of Kansas, the presiding officer.

Governor Hay, of Washington, at first decided to leave, but later changed his mind and declared he would stay, fighting to the last for State rights.

Governor Brooks declared he had had his say and that he was going.

Governor W. R. Stubbs, of Kansas, said he also would leave tonight if he could get away. It was commonly said, however, that the executive of Kansas would stay a day or so longer in order to be on the ground should any of the Westerners stay and attempt to "start something."

Governor Blanchard, of Louisiana, former Governor Pardee, of California, and James R. Garfield delivered addresses favoring National control of natural resources.

Herbert Knox Smith, United States Commissioner of Corporations, also addressed the convention.

Governor Blanchard, of Louisiana, took a decided stand against the theory of State's rights as applied to the conservation of the National resources.

"I fully endorse the address of Garfield," he said. "There was a time when the question of States' rights was a real issue, but it seems strange to me, a Southern Democrat, that now there comes a voice from the West that conservation must be abondoned by the central government and turned over to the tender mercies of the Western States.

"All the people are owners of the National domain—not merely the people who happen to live in the States in which the properties are located. The tremendous power of the Federal government should lead in the conservation movement.

"The doctrine of States' rights is dead; it is dead and the tramping feet of a million marching men. Let yesterday it tried to rear its head and bare its arm, and it is our duty to see that it is not again permitted to gain a foothold."

TENNESSEE INDEPENDENTS.

Hooper, Republican, to Get the Endorsement for Governor.

Memphis, Sept. 6.—Mass meetings were held today by independent Democrats in nearly all counties in Tennessee for the selection of delegates to the State convention which will be held in Nashville next week to nominate a candidate for railroad commissioner and take action on a candidate for Governor.

It is generally understood that next week's convention will endorse B. W. Hooper, the Republican candidate, for Governor.

SHOOTS AND KILLS HUSBAND.

Louisville Woman Says She Used Weapon in Self-defense.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 6.—Mrs. Frances Lipps shot and killed her husband, Joseph Lipps, early this morning at her home, 112 South 21st street.

Mrs. Lipps says she killed her husband in self-defense. She claims he was threatening her and advanced on her with a razor. Lipps was a barber.

ROBBER SHOOTS FLAGMAN.

Then Entered the Car and Robbed Four Passengers.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 6.—A robber tonight entered the rear Pullman of Burlington train No. 15, which left the union station at 9 P. M. and after shooting the flagman, J. N. Wire, of Clarence, Mo., robbed the four passengers on the car and made his escape.

A Man of Iron Nerve.

Indomitable will and tremendous energy are never found where Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills, the matchless regulators, for keen brain and strong body. 25c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

The New Bonds

If you have North Carolina Four Per Cent Bonds, due July 1st, 1910, send them to us for payment or exchange for the new issue. We purchased $150,000.00 of the new Bonds, which are free of all taxes, and being a State depository are prepared to take up the maturing Bonds.

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

AVIATORS BRAVE WEATHER.

Interesting Event in Heavy Fog at Harvard-Boston Meet.

Boston, Sept. 6.—A heavy lowlying fog settled down over the Harvard aviation field at Atlantic early today and during the hours allotted to professional flying, from 2 to 6:30 P. M. so completely obliterated the landscape beyond the gateway that no flying contests could be held.

Only one event was permitted, a single trial at rising from the ground with the shortest start possible. This was done directly in front of the grandstand, Claude Grahame-White, of England, getting away in 66 feet, 10 inches in his Farman biplane.

Despite the fog, however, White, Glenn H. Curtiss, Charles F. Willard and Walter Brookins came out in their machines and carried on interesting and daring evolutions in the air for the benefit of the crowd that had braved the weather.

Darting up and down the field over the grandstands and parking places, they would appear and disappear in the fog, only the whirring of their propellers indicating where to look for their next appearance.

Claude Grahame-White was again the star attraction. His swoops down over the grandstand and those scarcely clearing the heads of the newspaper men and officials on the course were breath taking. But the skill of the aviator was superb and each time with a neat turn he darted off and on upward into the fog.

33 POLICEMEN DISMISSED.

Refused to Ride on Street Cars With Strike Breakers.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 6.—The civil service commission today handed down its decision in the cases of the thirty-three city patrolmen who were dismissed by the director of public safety, approving the action of the director and refusing to grant to the police mutineers the privilege of reinstatement in the police department.

The patrolmen were dismissed from the force for refusing to obey orders when directed by Mayor Marshall to ride the cars to prevent lawlessness during the trike riots.

Attorneys for the mutineers said, after the decision was rendered that they would carry the matter into the courts.

EIGHT PERSONS DROWNED.

Result of Flood in Texas—Downpour of Five Inches.

Commanche Texas, Sept. 6.—Eight persons were drowned near Gustine as the result of a flood in the South Leon river last night, following a downpour estimated at ten inches.

The dead are Mrs. George Torney and five children, John Lenear and Mrs. John Lenear.

George Torney, with his babe in his arms saved himself by climbing a tree. In the Gustine community the flood came down the river bank with such force that houses occupied by the Torney and Lenear families situated near the stream were carried away.

TOCHIL DISEASE.

Diseased Korean Likely to be Sent Back Home.

Seattle, Sept. 6.—The discovery of a case of the dreaded Korean "earth disease" of "tochil" in this city was reported to the King County Medical Society last night.

Tochil has been seen but on rare occasions in the United States, being brought here from the Orient.

Because of the fact that it is incurable and infectious the medical society will investigate the sanitary features of the case.

It is likely that the Korean will be taken in charge by the government authorities and held for deportation.

ACCUSED AS SPY.

German Officer Said to be Connected With Construction Forces.

Portsmouth, Eng., Sept. 6.—The German army officer who was arrested yesterday while engaged in sketching the fortifications here, is still detained at Fort Purbrook.

The man's name is supposed to be Elmer, and he is connected with the construction division of the German land forces.

Documents found upon the alleged spy are said to include sketches of the forts all along the hills. The papers have been dispatched to the war office.

UNITED SYNOD CONVENTION.

Lutherans of South Gather at Richmond.—Opening Sermon.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 6.—The twelfth biennial convention of the United Synod, of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the South, began its sessions here tonight. There are about five hundred delegates present, representing Virginia, Mississippi, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee.

The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. A. G. Voight, D. D., of Mount Pleasant, S. C.

LANGFORD WINS BOUT.

Defeated Joe Jeannette After 15 Rounds of Fighting.

Boston, Sept. 6.—After 15 rounds of gruelling fighting Sam Langford, of this city defeated Joe Jeannette, of New York, both colored, at the Armory Athletic Club tonight. The decision of the referee was concurred in by all, as the Boston man maintained an advantage throughout.

A. G. SPALDING'S CLAIM.

Says He is Choice of Republicans in California.

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 6.—A. G. Spalding, one of the Republican candidates for the place of Frank P. Flint in the United States Senate, today issued a statement to the people of California claiming that he is the choice of the Republican party in the State.

He holds the official returns showing that he received the highest vote in a majority of the counties and of the Senatorial districts.

However, in the Statewide totals of the advisory vote the insurgent candidate, John D. Works, gained a plurality.

Every housewife "in business"—is a buyer of home supplies—and should watch for buying opportunities as closely as though she were buying to sell again.

PURE RADIUM OBTAINED.

Mme. Curie Announces Complete Separation of the Mineral.

Paris, Sept. 6.—Mme. Skaledowska Curie, chief professor in the faculty of sciences in Paris University, has announced to the Academy of Sciences that she has succeeded in obtaining pure radium.

It has the appearance of a white metal. It changes to black on exposure to air, burns paper and oxidizes in water. Hitherto radium had existed only in the form of salts.

standing, it may be either acute or chronic, but whatever it is Foley's Kidney Remedy will aid you to get rid of it quickly and restore your natural health and vigor. "One bottle of Foley's Kidney Remedy made me well," said J. Sibbull, of Grand View, Wis. Commence taking it now. Robt. R. Bellamy.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

FRESH MEATS—Call up No. 72 for your meats and produce. Everything good to eat. Palace Market Co. se-7-tf.

WANTED—Young man for office work and collecting. Address Box 194. se-7-1t

MRS. WORTHAM makes braids, puffs, etc., from combings and cut hair. Mrs. Wortham, 507 North Fifth street. se-7-1t*

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms with privilege of parlor in private family, good location near car line. References required. Address "A. L." care Star. se-7-1t*

LOST—Gold pin, Greek letters "K. D." Pearl in center. Initials "H. M. P." on back. Please notify box 636, City. se-7-1t.

TRUCKER—White or colored, single, experienced. Best references. State salary per month. Only those with best knowledge need apply. High-class only. Address "A. B. C." care Star. se-7-1t*

TO THE PUBLIC—I have just returned from New York where I purchased a full line of exclusive patterns in which we have the most fashionable line of Brown's which are going to be the prevailing shade this fall, also greys, blues and blacks all new goods, with the latest ideas. Call and get first choice. F. H. Krahnke. se-7-6t.

BOARD—A couple of young men can obtain board in private family, all modern conveniences. Bath and use of telelphone. Address "B. P." care Star. se-6-1t*

WANTED AT ONCE—One first-class setter and dogger, dogger must be able to handle both hammer and boss dog. Address Saltkeatchie Lumber Co., Scheffield, S. C. se-6 1w

HOUSE SEEKER! I have a few desirable houses left on my list for next year. Two on South Third street just put in my hands. Large yards, desirable neighborhood. Yours to serve, W. M. Cumming, Real Estate, 108 Princess street. se-6-tf

LUMINA every afternoon and night music and dancing concerts at 4 to 5:30 P. M., dancing 8:30 to 11:00 P. M. se-6-3t.

BOARD IN WESTERN North Carolina. First class board in private family at Waynesville, N. C. For particulars address Mrs. N. J. Burt, Box 312, Waynesville, N. C. au 10 e od tf.

HOUSE OWNER! I have rented nearly all the houses in my hands. Is your house rented for the coming year? If not, let me rent it for you. Respectfully, W. M. Cumming, Real Estate, 108 Princess St. se-6-tf.

WANTED—Furnished apartment for light housekeeping by couple with no children; must be close in and have all conveniences. Address "D." care Star. au 23 tf

STORE FOR RENT—No. 217 North Front street, two floors and basement, with privilege of alley in the rear. Suitable for any kind of wholesale and retail business. Possession given October 1, 1910. Apply to H. F. Wilder or I. Shrier. se-4-tf.

WANTED AT ONCE—Lady in each town in North Carolina to take orders for Kiosfit Petticoats. Address Mrs. R. J. House, Oak City, N. C. se-4-2t*

FOR RENT from October 1st, that desirable store now occupied by F. H. Kranke next to Southern Express office. Also living rooms above with all conveniences. Apply to agents or S. A. Schloss. se-4-4t.

WE ARE NOW FIT and ready to do your horse-shoeing. Striking horses our specialty. Wilmington Carriage Works, 1103 Castle street, Chas. C. Hopkins, Manager, 'Phone 1019. au-30-tf

CIRCULAR SAW FILER wants position. Can come with best references. Address O. G. Rhodes, Folkstone, N. C. se-1-1w*

WANTED—Four or five unfurnished rooms on second floor for light housekeeping. 'Phone 752 or 1219. se-1-1w*

FRESH MEATS TODAY—All kinds of vegetables and fruits. Pay cash and get your money's worth. Palace Market. 'Phone No. 72. se-1-tf.

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms and bath with or without board; must be within walking distance of postoffice; liberal remuneration for right location. Address J. B., care Star office. au-31-tf.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS—Wanted in Wilmington. Examinations November 12, $800 to $1,000. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Depat. 268-T. au-27-1mo*.

FOR SALE—The valuable property on Princess street formerly occupied by The Morning Star newspaper. Size of lot 58 1-4x66. Four floors, including basement. Opposite site of the new $500,000 Custom House. For details apply to Wm. H. Bernard. au 23 2t

GET THE BEST there is. Come to the Palace Market Co., today for your meats and vegetables, native and Western meats every day. Dressed chickens, chipped beef and bacon. Try us. 'Phone No. 72 se-3-tf.

THE GILBERT HOUSE — Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all car lines. Electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Special rates to regular and table boarders. ma 20 tf.

WANTED TO BUY, residence well located, on or near car line. Seven rooms exclusive of kitchen, pantry and bath. One-story cottage preferred, with lot 60x165. Address "Home Comfort," care Star office.

FOR SALE—The best line of trunks and suit cases in the city. At Uncle Charley's Pawn Shop, 108 Market street. jul 31 tf

I WISH TO ANNOUNCE to my friends and the public generally that I am now located at 32 South Front street and am prepared to save them from 20 to 25 per cent. on clothing, hats, etc. L. W. Davis & Co. au 11 1m

WANTED—An experienced bookkeeper and collector. A bond will be necessary for permanent position. Apply in own handwriting. Answer "C" care P. O. Box 487, City. se-1-1w

DR. CHARLES T. HARPER—Practice limited to kidney, genito-urinary and rectal diseases. Offices 507-508 Southern Building, phone 5.166. ma 25 tf

DISCOUNTS AS FOLLOWS—20 Per Cent. on all Solid Gold and Sterling Silver Goods. 25 Per Cent. on Gold Filled and Plated Goods, Cut Glass and other articles. 30 Per cent. on handpainted and Imported China goods. 40 Per Cent. on Vases and other odds and ends. Above discounts will positively close September 1st. J. T. Burke, the Jeweler, 27 South Front street. au 14 tf

ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the U. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

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Report to the Corporation Commission of the condition of The Atlantic Trust & Banking Company, at Wilmington, North Carolina, at the close of business on the 1st day of September, 1910.

Resources.

Loans	$693,453.03
North Carolina Bonds	25,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	150.00
Due from banks	39,618.19
Cash	402.50
Gold	435.00
Silver	631.59
Currency	3,714.00
Total	$763,334.31

Liabilities.

Certificates of deposit	$52,781.80
Deposits	605,404.36
Capital	50,000.00
Surplus	55,148.15
Total	$763,334.31

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the bes of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER.

Correct—Attest:
JNO. H. KUCK,
L. B. ROGERS,
C. J. MITCHELL,
Directors.

State of North Carolina—County of New Hanover.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 3rd day of September A. D., 1910.

O. W. ARRINGTON,
(Seal) Notary Public.

UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS' REUNION OF NORTH CAROLINA, NORFOLK, VA., TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, EASTERN District of North Carolina.—In the District Court, Fourth Division. In the matter of Floyd Bros. & Mitchell, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy No. 151. Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the first day of October, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Court House door of Bladen County, same being at Elizabethtown, North Carolina, the undersigned Trustee of the estate of Floyd Bros. & Mitchell, Incorporated, bankrupt, by virtue of an order made in said cause by the Referee, Mr. Geo. H. Howell, will expose for sale at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, certain lands belonging to said estate, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Situated, lying and being in White Creek Township, Bladen County, North Carolina, beginning at a stake near Shakehead Branch, in N. W. Jenkins' line and at Flowers Pope's corner, and runs thence with N. W. Jenkins line North 63 1-2 East 29.60 chains to a stake, in old line; thence north 26 west 33.95 chains to a stake, a corner; thence south 64 west 29.50 chains to Flowers Pope's corner; thence with her line south 26 east 33.05 chins to the beginning corner, containing 100 acres, more or less, known as a portion of the lands formerly owned by Cape Fear Lumber Co., and being also a portion of tract of land No. 1 of a survey made by W. D. Neves for J. H. Jenkins and wife in May, 1906, which will more fully appear by reference to a plot thereof on record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Bladen County, North Carolina in Book No. 46, page 511, said lands having been conveyed to the said S. B. McLean, Trustee, as aforesaid, by J. H. Jenkins and wife, by deed dated April 7, 1910, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Bladen County, North Carolina, in Book 54, page 587. Dated September 5th, 1910.

S. B. McLEAN,
Trustee of Floyd Bros. & Mitchell, Inc. Bankrupt.
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840 Bushels N. C. R. P. Oats.
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940 Bags 1-16 Bunker Hill.
884 Bags 1-8 Bunker Hill.
720 Bags 1-4 Bunker Hill.
286 Bags 1-2 Bunker Hill.
311 Kegs Large Mullet.
184 Kegs Small Mullet.
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